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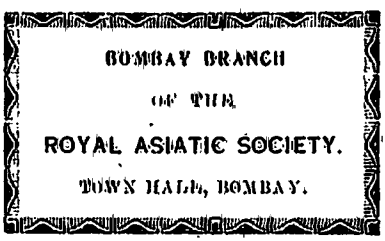

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CHAPTER I.

General and Political.

There is no change in the area, 350 square miles; and population, which, according to the census of 1911 is 72, 656. The Gross Revenue on the average of the last five years is Rs. 6,01,823; while the land revenue only for the year under report is Rs. 3,09,999.

2. The general statistics, given in this report, relate to the period from 1st June 1915 to 31st May 1916; but the financial figures cover the Samvat year 1971, ended on 7th November 1915.

3. His Highness Nazamuddaulah Mumtaz-ul-Mulk Mominkhan Bahadur Dilaverjang Nawab Hussein Yavar Khan Bahadur is a Mogal of the Shiah faith and the State continued to be under British Administration as in the previous year. The Nawab is now 5 years old. A European Governess looks after him and takes him about. He is being taught the Koran and Urdu by a Mahomedan teacher and he is picking up a little English from his Governess. His health is very good and he is being taught how to ride.

Tribute.

4. The State pays an Annual Tribute of Rs. 21,924-4-0 to the British Government.

The King-Emperor's Birth-Day.

5. The 3rd of June, being the birth-day of His Imperial Majesty, the King-Emperor George V was observed quietly and without any public functions in conformity with the declared wishes of His Majesty.

The Visits of Political Officers.

6. The Political Agent, Kaira, J. Ghosal, Esq., I. C. S. visited this State twice first on 1st October 1915 and again from 8th to 10th January 1916 during the opening ceremony of the Nawab Jaferali Khan Waterworks, which was performed by the Hon. Mr. W. D. Sheppard, C. I. E., I. C. S., Member of Council.

Personnel.

7. Mr. K. R. Bomanji, C. S. (Retired) continued to carry on the duties of Administrator during the year. He went on one month's privilege leave from the 8th May 1916 and Mr. J. Ghosal, I. C. S. Collector & Political Agent, Kaira, held charge of his office in addition to his own duties under Government Notification No. 3016, Political Department, dated 26th April 1916. Mr. Manibhai Gulabbhai Desai, Sar Nyayadhish, continued on long leave throughout the year. Mr. Chandubhai Nagindas, First Class Magistrate acted as Sar Nyayadhish till 30 June 1915. From 1st July 1915 he retired on pension and in his place Mr. Ziyauddin Mahomed Usman Moulvi, High Court Pleader (1910) was appointed First

Class Magistrate and officiated as Sar Nyayadhish for Mr. Desai. Mr. Chunilal Shyamji Public Prosecutor, continued to work as First Class Magistrate throughout the year. Mr. Ambalal Umiashanker Joshi, B. A. High Court Pleader (1913 A. D.) held charge of the Public Prosecutor's Office. Mr. Girdharlal D. Modi. B. A. L L B., Nyayadhish, resigned Service on 29th February 1916 and Mr. Chunilal Vithaldas Desai, High Court Pleader (1903) was appointed in his place from the 1st March 1916. The State Engineer Mr. N. A. Kasad resigned on 1st December 1915 and in his place Mr. Martand Vaman Bhavalker L. C. E. was appointed from 23rd December 1915 as State Engineer. There were on other changes amongst the officers of the State.

CHAPTER II.

Administration of Land.

8. The Cambay State consists of 88 villages besides the town of Cambay 5 of these are Inami or alienated, and 6 were Jivai i. e. held on life-tenure upto last year. Out of these 6 villages 4 viz. (Nagra, Neja, Anandpore and Popatvav) which formed the private property of the late Nawab have been incorporated with the State villages under Government Order No. 1392, Political Department, dated 24 February 1916 which now brings up the number to 81. Of the remaining two one Wasna is given for the maintenance of the late Nawab's nephew Mirza Mahomed Kuli Khan and another Vainaj to another nephew Mirza Fidaudin Khan. The survey settlement was introduced in 1893. It expires in 1923.

Jamabandi.

9. The following comparative statement gives the results of the Jamabandi settlements for the year of report and for the previous year.

Year.	Fixed land Revenue.	Miscellaneous land Revenue.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Land Revenue for 1971 ...	2,80,184	33,320	3,13,504
Land Revenue settled for Samvat 1972... ...	2,87,871	22,128	3,09,999
Increase ...	7,687	.....	7,687
Decrease ...	....	11,192	11,192
		Net decrease	3,505

10. The increase in Fixed Revenue is due to the income amounting to Rs. 12,269 of the 4 Khangi villages being brought on to the State accounts and to fresh lands being taken up of the assessment of Rs. 2,846. There were relinquishments amounting to Rs. 7,085 and forfeitures for non payment of land amounting to Rs. 1,630. The decrease in Miscellaneous Land Revenue is due chiefly to the fact that the item for the said revenue given above is for the period ending 31st May 1916 while those for 1971 are up to the end of that year. There will be some addition when the current Samvat year ends in October next. Owing to the scanty rainfall of the last season all waste lands were thrown open to free grazing resulting in a loss of about Rs. 7,400.

Revenue Collection.

11. The Land Revenue recoverable for the Samvat Year 1972 was Rs. 3,09,999 of which Rs. 2,54,665 were recovered upto 31st May 1916, leaving a balance of Rs. 55,334. Owing to the scanty rainfall of the last season, the rice crop

was a failure and therefore the water rate on rice lands amounting to Rs. 12,136 was remitted and suspensions of land revenue were given approximating Rs. 43,200.

Thirty licenses for 47 arms (guns) have been given to agriculturists during the year ending 31st May 1916 for crop protection against wild animals. Thanks to the information given by the Deputy Director of Agriculture and the Agricultural Engineer, one Universal Ant Exterminating Machine was obtained from the Nadiad Industrial and Engineering Institute but so far there has been no occasion to test its efficacy.

Outstanding Balance.

12. The total amount of Outstanding Balance, including Rs. 10,555 for the Samvat year 1971 was Rs. 82,806. Out of this Rs. 6,751 were recovered and Rs. 25,302 were written off, leaving a balance of Rs. 50,753 to be recovered. Of the amount remitted Rs. 22,305 were for arrears of land revenue from the year 1961 to 1965, the rest being for miscellaneous items. This will, it is hoped, afford some relief to the ryots.

Waste Land.

13. The total area of waste land during the year of report was 36,598 acres against 33,949 in the previous year. 27,557 acres of these are cultivable and the rest uncultivable. Over 2100 acres of land were relinquished. During the current year 532 acres of the assessment of Rs. 2,697 were given out in 27 villages on the restricted tenure i. e. without the right of sale or mortgage or alienation of any kind. Seeing that this is the first year in which this experiment is being made the result is by no means discouraging.

Tagavi Advance.

14. As was noted last year the amount of Tagavi outstanding at the end of Samvat 1970 was Rs. 1,45,518. Of this amount

Rs. 26,524 were recovered in 1971 and Rs. 6,344 in 1972 i. e. end of May 1916. During the same period Rs. 11,423 were remitted leaving a balance of the old outstanding of Rs. 1,01,227. Out of this amount no interest is to be charged on Rs. 93,209 as settled last year. The balance of Rs. 8,018 being for wells &c. will bear interest at 6% as usual. During 1971 and upto the end of May 1916 fresh advances amounting to Rs. 12,055 were made. Rs. 9,655 of this sum were advanced for seed during the year under report. Rs. 8,527 were recovered, leaving a balance of Rs. 3,628. There is the interest of Rs. 994 which has accrued which makes a total outstanding at the end of May 1916 of Rs. 1,05,849.

Local Fund.

15. The Local Fund Cess is charged at the rate of half an anna per every rupee of assessment. Rs. 14,794 were due during the year under report of which Rs. 12,779 were recovered and Rs. 43 were remitted, leaving a balance of Rs.1,972 which, it is hoped, will be recovered.

CHAPTER III.

Protection.

Legislation.

16. The State has adopted some of the important British Indian Acts in force in the Bombay Presidency and has enacted its own Limitation, Registration, Stamp and Court fees and Municipal Acts. The question of introducing some law for the proper inspection of Steam Boilers was considered and it was decided not to have recourse to a highly technical piece of

legislation which would be extremely difficult to work in a State like this. All that is really necessary can be done by executive orders. It has been laid down that all the factories in the State should be inspected once a year Government having kindly agreed to lend their Boiler Inspector for the purpose on payment. The factory owners have readily fallen in with the idea, and all the boilers were inspected during the year by the Inspector of Steam Boilers, N. D. Ahmedabad.

17. The Laws in force in this State are shown in Appendix II.

(a) Military Force.

18. The State does not maintain any regular Military Force, but what remains of the old irregular levies is shown in Appendix III.

19. The Cavalry consists of His Highness the Nawab's Body Guard, 8 in number, and is armed with swords only. The remaining 7 are flag bearers. The Artillery comprises men, kept for firing cannon as salutes on ceremonial and festive occasions. There were six men last year in the Artillery, five of whom have this year been transferred to the Infantry. Last year there were 11 Guns, two of which have been disposed of this year in a broken condition as they were of no use. The Infantry (154 men) consists of the old Biraderi which is now being gradually worked off. The men now form two sections. One consists of Tehnatis (Personal servants-72 men) to the Darbar relatives and friends under H. H's cousin Mirza Mahomed Kulikhan and the other consists of those who watch the gates of the town. These men (82 in number) of the 2nd section continued to be under the Superintendent of Police. The Armed Police is no longer included in it.

20. This irregular force was maintained at a cost of Rs. 18,738 as against Rs. 24,658 in the previous year, the

decrease being due to reduction in the number of the body guard and allowances granted to the old Biraderi men.

(*b*) Police.

21. The total strength of the Police Force, including the armed men this year is 223 (vide Appendix IV). It is distributed as under:-

	Sanctioned Number.	Vacancies.
Armed Men...	62	4
Sowars.....	21	3
Foot Police	140	14
	223	21=202.

Hitherto the Sowars remained at Head Quarters throughout the year except those who went out into camp with the Political Agent, the Administrator and Superintendent of Police. The rest were sent out whenever there was any occasion to do so. Since February 1916 a regular system of patrols is started during the fair season which will, it is hoped, tend to check crime a bit and will keep the men usefully employed instead of idling at Head Quarters. The Foot Police were given from Rs. 9 to 11 last year and this year the rate has had to be fixed at from Rs. 10 to 12. This will, it is hoped, enable the Superintendent to fill up the vacancies soon; but even with the higher rates now offered the service is not popular.

22. The maintenance of this Force cost the State Rs. 41,212 against 25,110, the increase being due to there having been 13 payments during the Samvat year of report as against 12 in the previous year and the rate of the ranks having been increased. On the whole, the work done is fair. The ratio of police to population is .3 per cent and for area .63 per square mile.

Working of the Police.

23. The comparative results of the working of the Police, during the year of report and in the previous year are shown in Appendix V. Of 204 cases reported to the police against 202 last year 156 were committed for trial, 20 were struck off the register under magisterial orders and 28 remained undetected at the end of the year. On the whole the volume of crime was stationary; but the number of accused persons decreased by 39 or about 13 p. c.

24. Of the 156 cases, committed for trial, 139 ended in conviction, 6 were compounded, 10 acquitted and 1 remained undisposed of at the end of the year.

25. Of the 269 persons, arrested by the Police, 252 were sent up for trial. Of the latter, 210 were convicted, in the case of 7 men the cases were compounded, 33 were acquitted or discharged and 2 remained pending.

26. The percentage (76.06) of convictions to arrests and that (83.33) of convictions to committals showed a small increase over the previous year which is satisfactory.

27. Appendix VI gives the comparative values of property stolen and recovered during the year as compared with the previous year. The percentage of recovery shows a small increase over the previous year while the value of property stolen was reduced by 41 per cent.

The work of the department is satisfactory and Mr. Jagannath Rege, Superintendent of Police, deserves credit for his efforts to increase the efficiency of the force placed under him.

28. The police force was regularly drilled as usual.

Village Police.

29. The total strength of the Village Police excluding the Mukhis and Deputy Mukhis, during the year of report was 383 against 370 in the preceding year. It was maintained at a

cost of Rs. 14,882 in cash and Rs. 415 in land. There are 84 Mukhis and 79 Deputy Mukhis. The increase this year in the number of Mukhis and Deputies is due to the 4 Khangi villages having been incorporated with the State villa ges.

(c) Criminal Justice.

30. The details of the working of the Criminal Courts in this State are shown in Appendices VII and VIII.

31. 415 cases, including two being the balance of the previous year, came up for disposal against 481 last year. Of these 412 were disposed off, leaving a balance of three at the end of the year.

32. The total number of persons involved in these cases was 817, including six awaiting trial at the close of the last year. 814 of these were disposed of, leaving 3 awaiting trial.

33. Of those disposed of, 50 were discharged, 416 were acquitted or compounded, 344 were convicted and 4disappeared before they could be caught. Of those acquitted and compounded 1 being insane is confined in prison.

34. Of those convicted, 54 were sentenced to imprisonment, 71 to imprisonment with fine, 218 to fine only and 1 to capital punishment which was afterwards commuted to penal servitude for life.

35. The average duration of the cases disposed of by the Magistrate during the year of report was 1.42 against 1. 36 days last year.

The Sessions or Sar Nyayadhish Court.

36. Out of the 15 cases, committed to the Court of Sessions during the year against 8 in the previous year, 13 were disposed of and 2 remained in balance. Out of 22 persons involved in these cases, 17 were convicted, 3 were acquitted and 2 were pending trial at the end of the year of report.

37. The average duration of these cases was 28.2 against 20.5 last year.

38. Appendix IX shows the working of the Appellate Courts in Criminal Cases.

39. 38 appeals were filed during the year of report against 31 in the previous year. Of these 36 were disposed of and 2 remained pending at the close of the year. Of those disposed of, 1 was rejected, the decision of the Lower Courts was confirmed in 18, modified in 10, reversed in 6 and 1 was remanded for retrial.

40. The average duration of these appeals was 16.8 days against 23.75 as reported last year.

(*d*) Civil Justice.

41. Appendix X gives details about the Civil Suits filed and disposed of by the three Civil Courts, viz. the Nyayadhish, the Sar Nyayadhish and Sardars' Courts.

42. 888 cases, including 133 being the closing balance of the last year, came up for disposal against 1615 the year before. Of these 745 were disposed of against 1482 in the previous year, leaving a closing balance of 143. There was a material decrease in litigation due to the execution of decrees being postponed against persons earning less than Rs 25/-per mensem owing to shortness of the rainfall and high prices. In spite of this reduction in work the number of suits remaining undisposed off at the end of the year was a little larger than in the previous year which is not satisfactory.

43. The value of the suits, filed during the year under report was Rs. 54,747 against Rs. 87,338 in the previous year.

44. The average duration of these suits was 1025.8 days against 451.13 last year. The increase in the average duration is due to the fact that one of the 2 cases of the previous year in the Sardars' Court took 3016 days in

being disposed of. The Sar Nyayadhish has been informed that the delay in this case is not creditable to him.

Sardars' Court.

45. One of the two cases that remained pending last year, was disposed of this year and the other remains pending at the end of the year under report.

Revenue Court.

46. 29 possession suits came up for disposal against 34 in the previous year. All these suits were disposed of. Out of these 23 cases were tried and 6 were struck off the file. 20 of these cases were examined in this office. There were no applications for revision. The work was satisfactory.

47. 46 rent suits had to be decided against 28 the previous year. All of them were disposed of. The work done seems fairly good.

Village Panchayats.

48. The Village Panchayats continued to do their work as usual.

49. They disposed of all the 277 petty Criminal cases brought before them against 191 last year. Of these 2 cases were certified as fit for trial in Criminal Courts.

50. 475 Civil cases, including 45 from last year came up for disposal before them against 612 in the previous year. They amicably settled 147 cases and certified 283 as fit for trial in Civil Courts, leaving 45 undisposed of at the close of the year. The village panchayat is a very useful institution taking a load of petty work off the Law Courts.

Execution of Decrees.

51. Appendix XI gives details regarding the execution of decrees during the year of report in the Civil Courts. Here again there was a material decrease in the volume of work but the decrease in outstandings was not proportionately reduced. The number of cases 132 remaining undisposed off of six and under 12 months duration is very large. The attention of the Courts concerned will be drawn to the delay.

52. 542 fresh applications were made which, with 231 the opening balance, made up a total of 773. 558 of these were disposed of, leaving a closing balance of 215.

Civil Appeals.

53. Appendix XII gives details of Civil Appeals filed and disposed of during the year of report. The 2 appeals in the Huzur Court practically formed one case both sides having appealed. It involved tedious examination of account books of several years and hence it took a long time to decide the appeal.

54. 79 appeals, 61 first and 18 second, were made against 131 last year. Of these 48 first and 18 second appeals were disposed of, leaving a closing balance of 13 first appeals.

55. As to the first appeals disposed of, the decision of the lower court was confirmed in 28, reversed in 5, amended in 12. 1 case was remanded for retrial and 2 were compromised.

56. In the second appeals, the decision of the lower court was confirmed in 16, reversed in 1 and amended in 1.

57. The total value of the appeals, filed during the year of report was Rs. 20,046 against Rs. 24,541 last year

(e) Extradition.

58. The surrender of 23 persons, including 3 from last year, was demanded by this State, fourteen from the British Government and nine from certain Native States. Of these 19 were surrendered, thirteen by the British Government and six by Native States, the demand for the surrender of 3 persons was withdrawn and 1 remained to be surrendered by the British Government at the end of the year.

59. The surrender of 10 accused including 2 from the last year was demanded from this State during the year of report, seven by the British Government and 3 by some Native States. All of them were surrendered. The exchange has worked smoothly.

(f) Prisons.

60. Appendix XIII gives details of Jail Administration.

61. Of the 196 prisoners in the Jail against 183 last year, 64 were the balance of the previous year and 132 were admitted during the year of report. 66 of them remained undischarged at the end of the year under report. In honour of the young Nawab's birth-day, 3 male prisoners were released on 22nd March 1916 their remaining terms being short ones.

62. The daily average of the prisoners during the year of report was 60.3 against 52.8 last year.

63. The Jail was maintained at a cost of Rs. 5,235 against 4067 in the previous year. The increase is due to the increased number of prisoners and the Samvat year of report consisting of 13 months. Also prices have been higher than in the previous year.

64. The prisoners are employed in indoor work and weaving carpets, khadis and chadars with fly shuttle and other improved looms, and are also employed in grinding

grain. They do outdoor work at times as P. W. D. labourers, under armed police guards. They earned Rs. 2,026 against Rs. 1,883 in the previous year.

65. The increase in earnings is due to the number of prisoners having increased this year and the Samvat year of report consisting of 13 months. 42 prisoners were given the benefit of rule 505 chapter 21 of the Jail Manual referring to exemption from ordinary labour in consideration of good conduct and efficiency in work entrusted to them.

(*g*) Registration.

66. Appendices XIV and XV give details of registration of documents and fees realized.

67. 1163 documents were presented for registration against 1013, all of which excepting one that was refused registration, were registered. The total value of the documents amounted to Rs. 4,12,313 against 4,79,671 the year before. Though the number of documents shows an increase of 150 the value has decreased by Rs. 67,358. The whole of the increase is in mortgages and sale deeds due probably to the bad season we have had.

(*h*) Municipal Administration.

68. The Municipal Administration of the town of Cambay was carried on as usual by the Municipal Board.

69. The Municipal revenue was spent on conservancy and sanitation in the town, the schools, Hospitals and Dispensaries being maintained by the State.

70. The Municipal income for the Samvat year 1971 was Rs. 43,940 and the balance at the end of the previous year was Rs. 2,915, making a total of Rs. 46,855, against Rs. 17,873 in the previous year as shown in Appendix XVI. The increase is chiefly due to the grant of Rs. 24,713 from the State for road repairs and other works. In 1969 and 1970

contributions from the State of Rs. 4,000 and 3,900 respectively were made; but they were not availed of by the Municipality. Owing to this and with a view to improve the roads in the town and to make some new ones a large grant from the State was given. The total length of the old roads was 6268 yards. They were mostly in a bad way and no regular repairs were made for 6 years. In fact during the 5 preceding years i. e. from Samvat 1966 to 1970 the total outlay on roads was Rs. 23,013. During the year under report the old roads were repaired at a cost of Rs. 16,864. Four new roads of a total length of 1496 yards were constructed at a cost of Rs. 16,244.

71. The total expenditure amounted to Rs. 41,904 against 17,347 (not 17,332) last year, the increase being due to other works of general improvement in the town.

CHAPTER IV.

Production and Distribution.

Weather and Crops.

72. Appendix XVII gives details of rainfall for the year under report.

73. The fall registered was 14. 19. It was not only very short being about half the average on the whole: but was also most unevenly distributed as will be seen from the following figures:-

	Average per Rainfall Data.	Fall in 1915.
June	3.89	3.49
July	10.72	5.98
August	7.82	1.21

September	...	4.40	0,67
October	...	0.71	2.9
Total		27.54	13.44

It was most in defect when most needed i. e. during July, August and September. But for the unusual fall in October we would have had to face a famine. But it enabled the late crops to be sown. Even then there has been great scarcity of fodder. The present season has unfortunately not opened well and we are going through a period of great anxiety. The outturn of the main crops during the year was as under:-

	1915.		1916.	
	Area.	Yield.	Area.	Yield.
Rice ...	4064.37	12 As.	247.8	0
Bajri ...	14987.33	4 ,,	20862.8	4 As.
Jowar ...	12255.36	4 ,,	25863.36	1 to 2 ,,
Cotton ...	15105.32	10 ,,	10465,39	4 to 6 ,,
Wheat ...	35577.28	8 ,,	34060.34	6 ,,
Tobacco.	1858.21	12 ,,	1478.33	6 ,,
Bavto } ... Kodra }	6134.28	12 ,,	5789.38	0 ,,
Oil Seeds.	4149. 7	6 ,,	4734.19	3 to 4 ,,
Others ...	278.29	6 ,,	305.38	2 to 4 ,,

Rice was a total failure and Jowari almost a total failure. Cotton and Tobacco were about half the normal yield of 12 As.

74. The numbers of irrigation wells and tanks were 1241 and 39 against 1215 and 39 respectively of the previous year. Ten old wells were repaired by the people and 16 new ones were constructed out of Rs. 2,330 advanced as tagavi.

75. The area of irrigated land, during the year of report, was 3752.13 acres as against 1400.21 in the previous year.

The increase is due to people having had to fall back on wells owing to the scanty rainfall.

Wages and Labour.

76. The wages of labour continued high, unskilled labourers earning from four to six annas and skilled persons from 12 annas to one rupee. Labour was scarce. The scarcity of fodder kept people busy collecting grass from whereve they could and going long distances to get it.

77. Appendix XVIII gives the prices of food grains during the year of report as compared with the previous year. Prices were high which certainly added to the difficulties of the poor classes.

Agricultural Stock.

78. Appendix XIX gives details of agricultural stock. It is to be regretted that the agricultural stock is reduced this year but when the scarcity of fodder is kept in mind we may be thankful that the decrease is not greater than it is. It only shows how hard the ryot has struggled to keep his cattle alive. The price of grass in Cambay in May 1916 was Re. 1 for 55 lbs. against a normal rate of Re. 1 for 200 lbs. The State 'birs' gave a short yield and 607902 lbs. of grass were imported at a cost of Re. 9,198-4-7 for the animals belonging to the State.

Trade.

79. The sea borne trade registered at the Port of Cambay during the year of report was valued at Rs. 7,59,792 against 8,02,162 last year. The decrease is due to the Great War which is still going on.

80. The following figures will show at a glance the volume of trade as compared with the previous year.

IMPORTS.

	No. of Vessels	Capacity in Khandis	Value of goods Rs.
1915-16	Loaded 466	40,882	6,04,786
Do.	Unloaded 70	2,552	.....
	Total 536	43,434	6,04,786
1914-15	Loaded 478	42,759	6,58,001
Do.	Unloaded 53	1610	.....
	Total 531	44,369	6,58,001

EXPORTS.

	No. of Vessels.	Capacity in Khandis.	Value of goods. Rs.
1915-16	Loaded 239	14,686	1,55,006
Do.	Unloaded 295	28,627	.....
	Total 534	43,313	1,55,006
1914-15	Loaded 239	11,758	1,44,160
Do.	Unloaded 301	33,364	.....
	Total 540	45,122	1,44,160

On the whole there was a net decrease of Rs. 42,369 in the value of goods dealt with.

Manufactures and Industries.

81. The chief manufactures of Cambay are cotton and silk fabrics and various articles of agate and cornelian stone. Cotton yarn of various counts and cloth are manufactured in the Nawab of Cambay Mills. One oil mill and some small rice and flour mills also continued to work this year.

82. The total number of hand looms in Cambay was 3004 against 2936 last year. They gave employment to 6227 persons against 5676 last year. The trade in agate and cornelian stones which in normal terms gives employment to about 1015 persons, continued to be almost at a stand-still owing to the Great War.

The Dye-house and other Factories.

83. The State dye-house continued to work as usual.

84. The Nawab of Cambay Mills worked throughout the year. During 10 months and 15 days of active work, excluding holidays 3450 bales of cotton yarn, weighing 1380000 lbs. were produced against 3225 bales, weighing 1290000 lbs. last year. The Dye-house in this Mill also continued its work and dyed 415 bales of cotton against 825 bales last year. The decrease is due to the scarcity and high prices of dyes due to the War. Out of 264 looms in the Weaving Department in this Mill, 246 were working during the year. They used 54400 lbs. of yarn turning out cloth, weighing 530469 lbs. Cloth of the value of Rs. 1,46,692 was sold during the year of report. The average number of hands employed during the year of report in this Department was 207 per day while in spinning, dying &c. the number employed was 592 per day. The Mill has worked at a profit and is likely to pay a fair dividend for the year ending June 1916. The sanitary, medical and housing arrangements for the Mill labourers continued to be satisfactory.

85. The management of the Mill is in the hands of the Agents, Secretaries and Treasurers, Messrs. Maganlal Harilal & Co.,

86. The Mill has a ginning factory attached to it and its 20 gins out of 34 erected, turned out 74 bales of cotton against 1039 last year when 30 gins were working. This factory worked only for 7 days during this year. The three ther ginning factories two at Cambay and one at Tarapur, aving 96 gins in all turned out 2600 bales of clean cotton gainst 4000 of the previous year. The decrease is due to he shortness of the cotton crop.

Public Works.

87. Appendix XX gives details of the Public Works executed from the State and Local funds during the Samvat ear 1971. The large expenditure of Rs. 26,559 on buildings nclude Rs. 6,370 for a new roof to the State Imamvada, Rs. 4,975 for repairs to the Juma Musjid, Rs. 2,209 for xtension of the Mandai Girls School house, Rs. 4,737 for epairs to the Customs' godowns, Rs. 2481 for extension of he Branch School No. 2 for boys. Out of the amount of Rs. 1,22,691, for wells &c. a sum of Rs. 1,21,417 was spent n the Nawab Jaffer Ali Khan Water Works. The construction f the Kaneval tank project in Valli has been begun during he year. The tank was originally taken up in 1893 for rrigation and some money was spent; but no regular survey or plans and estimates were made. This has been done now. The project is estimated to cost Rs. 40077. The plans and stimates were revised by Mr. Furdunji Taraporwala C. I. E. late Superintending Engineer N. D. The project when completed is estimated to irrigate 3500 acres of land. Even if $\frac{1}{4}$th of this area is taken up the assessment on the land at the rate of Rs. 6 per annum will yield a return of about 12 % on the outlay. As Mr. Taraporvala has remarked it will be one of the finest tanks in Gujarat.

Cambay Railway.

88. The total gross earnings of the Tarapur Cambay Railway upto March 1916 amounted to Rs. 68,054-1-2 against 60,851-13-9 in the previous year while net receipts excluding the working expenses charged by the B. B. & C. I. Railway to the State amounted to Rs. 35,230-6-5 against Rs. 28,646-14-6 in the previous year. The increase in receipts is due to th maximum rate of 3 pies per mile being charged in the ra for 3rd class passengers.

89. The total amount invested by the State in th construction of the line, including the Bunder Sidin amounted to Rs, 8,74,560-15-4 according to the B. B. & C. Railway account upto 31st March 1916. The extension o the siding to the Bunder head has cost the State Rs 1,70,372-13-9 making the total cost to the State of Rs 1,044,933-13-1. I regret to say that the railway authoritie do not see their way to reducing their working charges The railway paid only a little over Rs. 4% on the outla upto the siding, a very poor return indeed. When the co of the Bunder extension is taken into account the per centag is still further reduced to 3. 3%

Ceneral condition of the State and the People.

90. The year has been a very unfavourable one du mainly to the Great War still going on and the unusuall short rainfall of the last season. Out of a land revenue fo the year of Rs. 3,09,999 only Rs. 2,54,665 were collected th balance being suspended. Remissions amounting in all t Rs. 25,302 were given, leaving now a balance of Rs. 50,753 Out of the outstandings of Tagavi Rs. 11,423 were remitted and the balance on this account now stands at Rs. 1,05,845 Taking the 2 items together a sum of Rs. 36,725 has been written off which is equal to about 11 percent of a year's

land revenne. There has been a decided set back during the year. The War has affected trade very injuriously and similarly the scanty rainfall has affected crops.

Reference has already been made to the Kaneval tank project. The tract where it lies is a dreary waste affecting the lands of 6 villages. The project which it is expected, will be finished by March 1917 will it is hoped enable fully 1000 acres of land to be irrigated. This will materially alter the condition of these villages. It will, it is expected, yield a handsome return on the outlay. This however is not the only point of view. It ought to prove a valuable insurance against famine which of course will be its greatest merit.

All the old guns that could be spared have been lent to agriculturists for the protection of crops against the ravages of black buck. Still more licenses are wanted; but people are not able to find guns. What has been done has however given some relief.

The Revenue and Rent Paying Classes.

91. There is nothing of unusual interest to note under this head.

92. The number of transfers of occupancy rights recorded in the Revenue Register during the year of report was 219 against 256 in the previous year. The land so transferred was assessed at Rs. 3,791 against Rs. 4,011 last year. The numbers of mortgages and sales of land were 292 and 138 respectively, of the total value of Rs. 96,607 against 251 and 130 valued at Rs. 1,04,463 in the previous year.

Out of a total area of 554 acres bearing an assessment of Rs. 2655, 138 acres of the assessment of Rs. 607 have gone from ryots to sowkars while 43 acres of the assessment of Rs. 263 were transferred to ryots from the sowkars.

There is a slight set back here as compared with the previous year; but in a season of short rainfall it must be expected.

93. The total number of suits about land was 83 of which 75 were for recovery of rent and 8 for ejectment of tenants against 61 and 15 last year.

CHAPTER V.

Revenue and Finance.

94. The comparative statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the Samvat years 1970 and 1971 is embodied in Appendix XXII.

95. The total receipts for the Samvat year 1971 amounted to Rs. 6,68,546 against Rs. 6,46,973 in the previous year giving an increase of Rs. 21,573. The total ordinary expenditure (excluding Rs. 1,32,233 for the railway, wharf, water-works) amounted to Rs. 5,10,838 against Rs. 4,60,765 last year, giving an increase of Rs. 50,073. The closing balance of the year of report was Rs. 5,20,002.

96. In receipts the bulk of the increase is in the following heads:--

		Rs.
(a)	Abkari	... 8,560
(b)	Octroi Duties	... 5,995
(c)	Interest on loans	... 18,970
(d)	Miscellaneous	... 8,233

The largest decrease (23,601) is as might be expected in a year of short rainfall under land revenue resulting in a net increase of Rs. 21,573.

97. In expenditure there was a good decrease (Rs. 17,019) under palace expenses and provisioning and under Levies due mainly to economy under these heads. Under most other heads there was increase.

The main items of increase are pensions (2,045) due to retirements, Police (16,102) for reasons stated in para 21, Public works (10,929), Municipality (24,714) which had no grant in the previous year and a large grant was given during the year for the construction of new roads &c. Nearly the whole of the increase in item No. 26 is due to increased expenditure for the Water —works which were completed.

98. The Steam Launch 'Nawab' which was returned to the State by the Government as it was no longer wanted for War purposes, was sold to the Royal Indian Marine for service in the Persian Gulf for Rs. 20,000. It cost the State Rs. 32,000.

99. The Salt and Opium arrangements remain unaltered. The arrangement to import liquor, made last year, from the Godhra Distillery is continued and has resulted in a profit of Rs. 8,233 over the previous year. The Godhra liquor seems to have found favour with the consumers, as the consumption which was 10,555 gallons in 1970 rose to 13,335 gallons. The system of paying the shopkeepers in fixed salaries instead of by commission has worked well so far. But temperance reformers will be sorry to know that instead of leading to a decrease in consumption it has resulted in a material increase. The obvious inference is that payment by commissions does not lead to increased drunkenness at any rate not in this State.

CHAPTER VI.

Medical Services.

100. There are 6 Medical Institutions in the State, viz (1) The Kennedy Hospital, (2) The Bibi Bahubegam Saheb Free Dispensary, (3) The Diamond Jubilee Zenana

Hospital, (4) The Tarapur and (5) Varasada Dispensaries, and (6) The Veterinary Dispensary in Cambay. The relief continued to be given absolutely free, i. e. nothing is charged even for medicines. All these institutions are largely made use of.

101. The average daily number of attendance of patients in the Zenana Hospital is 95. 5. This Institution continued to be very popular with women in the Town.

102. The details of the medical relief afforded by these institutions, except the Veterinary Dispensary, are shown in Appendix XXIII.

103. The total number of patients treated in these institutions, was 48,194 against 50,174 last year.

104. The total number of surgical operations performed during the year of report was 880 against 709 last year; of these 50 were major and 830 were minor.

105. Two vaccinators have been working under the supervision of the Chief Medical Officer, as usual. One of these worked in the town and the other in the district. 2,163 children against 1,856 were vaccinated during the year of report. The Deputy Sanitary Commissioner Dr. Munsiff visited Cambay in March last. No officer of this department has been here for the last 12 years. He found the arrangements made here highly satisfactory.

Veterinary Dispensary.

106. 4,638 animals were treated against 4,842 in the previous year.

107. The total number of surgical operations, performed upon animals, was 243 against 193 in the previous year; of these 113 were major and 130 minor.

108. All these six institutions were maintained by the State at a total cost of Rs. 14,559 against Rs. 13,508.

Vital Statistics.

109. Appendix XXIV gives details of births and deaths in the State during the year under report.

110. The total number of births, registered during the year of report, was 2,597 against 2,554, giving a birth rate of 34.99 per mille against 34.19 last year.

111. The total number of deaths, registered during the year of report was 1,879 against 2,087 last year, giving a death rate of 26.63 per mille against 28.72 the year before. While both the birth and deaths rates in the City have gone up as compared with the previous year, those in the rural area have gone down. The differnce in both these events in the two areas is somewhat striking. On the whole the season was a healthy one and there was no epidemic any where. I regret to say that cholera is raging in epidemic form in the town and Tarapur at the time of writing this report.

CHAPTER VII.

Education.

112. Appendix XXV shows the number and nature of Educational Institutions maintained by this State, and the expenditure incurred on them, during the Samvat year 1971.

113. The number of schools at the close of the year was 38 against 35 last year. 3,580 children attended these schools against 2,827 in the previous year.

114. Of the 9 students, sent up for the Matriculation Examination by the High School, 5 came out successful, while out of the 3, sent up for the School Final Examination, 2

passed. The arrangement to teach the School Final course was continued this year and so the result of this year in this respect was better than the last year. The attendance throughout shows an appreciable increase, so does the expenditure.

115. Over and above these State schools, there were during the year of report, 12 other schools, teaching elementary Gujrati, worked and maintained by private individuals on their own account. 195 students attended these schools. 7 other such schools taught the Kuran -Sherif, Arabic and Urdu with an admixture of Gujrat in some. These schools were attended by 219 Mahommedan children. 13 Parsi children continued to be under th instruction of their priest.

116. The Vedashala and the Jain Girls' School continued to receive State-aid as usual. The numbers of children attending these institutions were 30 and 150 respectively.

117. Primary Education in village schools is free. No fees are charged to students, attending the Girls' Schools the Madressa and the Sanskrit School in Cambay town.

118. One Technical Scholarship was continued to b granted till January last. It was discontinued as the schola concerned completed his course of the Weaving branch for which it was being given. Three vernacular teacher were deputed afresh for further study at the Premchand Rychand Male Training College, Ahmedabad and there was one, over and above these three, Studying the third year's course of the Premchand Rychand Training College Ahmedabad. One student that was deputed last year to the Female Training College, Ahmedabad continued to be granted the scholarship for her further study in the 2nd year class and one more girl student was sent this year. Two female students have, this year, been deputed to the Victoria Jubilee Hospital. Ahmedabad for studying

the course of midwifery and nursery. There is a great want of qualified midwives in Cambay. The State gave a grant of Rs. 3,000 towards the Lady Hardinge Medical College Fund. One student continued this year to be granted a scholarship for his further study in the Government College of Commerce, Bombay.

119. The evening Drawing Classes continued to work as usual. Out of the four and six candidates presented respectively at the Elementary Grade and the Intermediate Grade Drawing Examinations, two and five came out successful, while out of 11 candidates sent up for the London Chamber of Commerce Senior Examination, 8 passed. These results are satisfactory and do credit to the teachers concerned.

120. The total cost of education to the State, including scholarships, was Rs. 24,280 against Rs. 24,190 last year. The fee receipts for the year of report were Rs. 3,433-12-0 against Rs. 3,091-10-0 last year.

121. The annual examinations were held as usual both in the English and the Vernacular Schools and the results were somewhat disappointing this year as compared with those of the previous year. The result for the English school was 38% of passes, and that for the Vernacular Schools was 44%. The percentage of students to population is 4.92. Three private schools and one State Urdu Girls' School and one Urdu Branch School in the Town and one Urdu School in the District have been newly opened this year. Arrangements to send up men for training were continued and one more teacher than usual was deputed i. e. three in all. If the Educational authorities will allow, more men will be sent up for training next year. It has been urged that the State employs unqualified persons. To meet this objection, nine qualified men were employed and more will be taken up as opportunities occur.

CHAPTER VIII.

Miscellaneous.

122. The State records have been classified and arranged in a proper way. The destruction of useless old records continues.

The Darbar Press.

123. The Darbar Press was worked as usual, and cost the State Rs. 692 as against Rs. 630 last year. This year a competent Press Manager is appointed. The Cambay Gazette, issued under the authority of the Darbar, continued to be printed and published from this Press.

Library.

124. The Lord Reay Library reading room continued to be kept up as a free institution for the public. The number of subscribers to the Library during the year under report was 30 against 32 last year. The total cost of maintaining the Library was Rs. 569 of which Rs. 437 were contributed by the State and Rs. 132 from subscriptions.

125. The Library continued to be supplied free of charge with some parts of the Bombay Government Gazette, Government printed reports on various subjects and Press Notes as in the previous year. The State is thankful for the concession.

Conclusion.

126. I am glad to be able to say that the financial position of the State is very satisfactory. We have invested

in Government of India loans	Rs.	3,68,800
in shares in the Cambay Mills	,,	2,00,000
in the State Insurance Co.	,,	1,555
balance of money with the Cambay Mills deposited years ago	,,	4,35,000
deposited with the Bank of Bombay for six months	,,	1,00,000
deposited with the Morarji Goculdas Mills for six months	,,	1,00,000
		12,05,355

For a small State like Cambay this is a lot of money to have saved up. I think it would be a mistake to try to save up any more, at all events during the Administration. It's the State people's money and it ought to be spent on the people and there is great scope for irrigation and other works of public utility. And I think it would be a breach of trust on the part of the Administration to try to save any more. We have practically 4 years' land revenue in hand and that is more than ample. Some of it might be used up in useful ways. And this will be kept in mind when the next year's budget is being prepared.

The scheme for the Improvement of the Port which was framed by Mr. F. C. Taraporvala C. I. E., Retired Superintending Engineer for the Northern Division had to be postponed owing to pressure of other more urgent works and want of adequate establishment. It is hoped it will be taken up next year.

The State Dredger was sold at last for Rs. 3,400 having cost Rs. 47,110. The Motor Launch ordered for the State not having been built according to specifications was rejected and a suit has been filed in the High Court of Judicature, Bombay for the recovery of Rs. 20,000 advanced for it to the builder.

In order to put the State Public Works Department accounts under proper order, a qualified accountant was

asked for from the Bombay Government and ultimately Mr. M. B. Rawal, Accountant 3rd Grade was deputed to this State from the 29th January 1916 for six months. He has, after thoroughly going through the accounts, introduced the British system of the Public Works Department accounts and revised the old and introduced new forms. He has trained some of the clerks. His delegation has been of great help to the State for which it is thankful to the Bombay Government.

The Water Works Scheme was completed during the year. Cambay is not well supplied by nature with what chemical experts would call pure potable water. It is not that the quantity is short but the quality is poor. Situated as it is on a big river the Mahi, which is subject to tidal action, it is very difficult to find sweet water within a reasonable distance of the Town. Most of the wells in it are brackish. His Highness the late Nawab Jaffer Ali Khan was, therefore, very anxious to have a good water supply scheme for his Town. And in April 1907 the idea was first started. The selection of a good site for the works was an anxious and difficult question. After a good deal of search it was believed that this Nareshwar site might yield good water and the expectation has been realised. Boring operations were then undertaken in 1909 and it was not till the following year 1910 that a scheme was prepared by Rao Bahadur Himatlal Dhirajram. The execution of the scheme as is not usual in such cases led to many difficulties but a fair amount of progress was made. The scheme was again thoroughly revised in November 1913 by Mr. F. C. Taraporvala C. I. E. The original estimate was for Rs. 2,80,000 including the cost of the boring operations which proved very costly. Mr. Taraporvala tried to keep within this estimate, but owing to various causes our actual expenditure to date is about Rs. 3,43,314 and I am afraid we are not finished yet.

Though this is a great advance on the original idea I think the money is fully worth the result achieved. The people of Cambay are now assured of a good supply of pure water which has passed the test of chemical analysis. And it is a matter of great satisfaction that the works were completed well ahead of the last hot weather when owing to the short rainfall almost every well and tank in the Town was dry.

We have three tube wells each 50 feet deep. The population of Cambay, present and prospective, is taken at 33,000 persons though according to the last census it was 28,028. We have estimated for a supply of 10 gallons per head i. e. 3,30,000 in one day. I am glad to be able to say that our supply of water is ample. And if more is required we can easily increase it by adding a couple of tube wells, but so far as can be judged at present this will not be necessary for years to come.

His Highness the late Nawab was very anxious to see these works completed. It is therefore only our duty to commemorate his name by calling the works after him and they are now named the Nawab Jaffer Ali Khan Water Works. I hope this will help to keep alive the memory of his rule of over 35 years and his solicitude for the people of his State. It was hoped that His Excellency Lord Willingdon Governor of Bombay would do the State the honour of opening the works but owing to other engagements this was not practicable. They were opened on 8th January 1916 by the Honourable Mr. W. D. Sheppard C. I. E., I. C. S. Member of His Excellency's Council in the presence of the Political Agent, Kaira Mr. J. Ghosal, I. C. S. and a number of European and Indian guests. The cordial thanks of the State are due to Mr. Sheppard for his trouble in finding the time to come all the way to Cambay in spite of his many other duties and to Mrs. Sheppard for gracing the occasion with her presence.

The works have proved a complete success. To Mr. F. C. Taraporwala the State is greatly indebted for his interest in them and the thoroughness with which he supervised them. Messrs. Ardeshir D. Wadia & Co. supplied the machinery and it is only fair to them to say that they have carried out their contract in a most satisfactory way.

The work of the various departments has been good on the whole. Mr. Jagannath Rege, Superintendent of Police and Mr. Maganlal Bhailal Desai the Vahiwatdar deserve special mention.

The Great War is unfortunately not over yet. The State and people of Cambay continue steadfast in their loyalty to His Majesty the King-Emperor and the British Raj. During the year the State gave a contribution of Rs. 4,000 to the Imperial War Fund and Rs. 1,000 to Her Excellency Lady Willingdon's Branch of it. I am sure there is not a man in this State who does not pray for the speedy termination of the world-wide struggle that is still going on and for the complete success of the Allies.

Cambay,
20th July, 1916.

K. R. Bomanji.
Administrator.

APPENDICES.

Appendix 1.

NAMES of HIGH OFFICIALS in the CAMBAY STATE, showing changes in personnel during the year 1915-16.

No.	Names of Officers.	Appointment.	Period. From	Period. To	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Mr. K. R. Bomanji, C. S. (Retired) ...	Administrator	1-6-15	31-5-16	
2	,, Manibhai Gulabbhai Desai, B. A. LL. B. ...	Sar Nyayadhish	... ...	... ...	On long leave.
	,, Chandulal Nagindas	Ag. Sar. Do.	1-6-15	30-6-15	Pensioned from 1-7-15
	,, Ziyauddin Mahomed Usman Maulvi ...	,, ,, ,,	1-7-15	31-5-16	
3	,, Jagannath Sagoon Rege...	Police Superintendent ...	1-6-15	31-5-16	
4	,, Ziyauddin Mahomed Usman Maulvi, High Court Pleader (1910)	First Class Magistrate ...	... ...	... ...	Ag. Sar Nyayadhish from 1-7-15
	,, Chunilal Shyamji Trivedi, High Court Pleader (1909)	Ag. First Class Magistrate ...	1-6-15	31-5-16	
5	,, Girdharlal Damodardas Modi, B. A. LL. B.	Nyayadhish	1-6-15	29-2-16	Resigned (29-2-16)
	,, Chunilal Vithaldas Desai, High Court Pleader (1903)	Do. ...	1-3-16	31-5-16	
6	,, Dhanjibhai Motabhai Vakil	Chief Medical Officer... ...	1-6-15	31-5-16	
7	,, Hiralal Ranchhoddas L. M. & S.	Bibi Bahubegam Saheb free Dispensary	1-6-15	31-5-16	
8	Miss Sarah Ghose, F. S. A. Surgeon	Zanana Hospital Doctor ...	1-6-15	31-5-16	
9	Mr. N. A. Kasad, L. C. E.	State Engineer	1-6-15	1-12-15	Resigned (1-12-15)
	,, M. V. Bhavalkar, L. C. E.	Do.	23-12-15	31-5-16	
10	Mirza Fatehalikhan...	Daroga of Import Duty ...	1-6-15	31-5-16	
11	Mr. Abanmia alias Zahiruddin Rahimuddin...	Forja Daroga	1-6-15	31-5-16	
12	,, Chunibhai Manibhai Mehta	Daroga of Treasury... ...	1-6-15	31-5-16	
13	,, Maganlal Bhailal Desai	Vahivatdar...	1-6-15	31-5-16	
14	,, Bhogilal Nagindas Shah, M. A.	Head Master, High School ...	1-6-15	31-5-16	

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Administrator.

Appendix II.

LIST of LAWS in force in the CAMBAY STATE.

Description.	Whether adapted from British Act.	Introduced during year under report.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4
Indian Penal Code	Yes.		
Indian Criminal Procedure Code ...	,,		
Indian Evidence Act	,,		
The New Indian Civil Procedure Code	,,		
Abkari Act	,,		
Salt Act	,,		
Opium Act	,,		
District Police Act	,,		
Gambling Act	,,		
Mamlatdar Act	,,		
Tariff Act	,,		
Post Office Act	,,		
Limitation Act	,,	No.	
Registration Act	,,		
Stamp Act	,,		
Court Fee Act	,,		
Indian Companies Act	,,		
The Explosives Act of 1908	,,		
Cambay Municipal Act	,,		
An Act for the protection of Wild Birds and Animals	,,		
Factory Act	,,		
Insolvency Act	,,		
Rules under the Deccan Agriculturist Relief Act	,,		
Lunatic Asylums Act (XXXVI) of 1858	,,		

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Appendix III.

STATEMENT showing the STRENGTH, COST, and other particulars of the MILITARY FORCE in the CAMBAY STATE, 1915—1916.

Arm of Service.	Number of Fighting Officers and Men.						Details of Force at the end of the current year.						Total cost on account of pay and allowances of the force including followers.	Remarks.
	At the end of last year.	Recruited this year	Casualties. Died.	Invalided.	Discharged, Deserted &c.	At the end of the current year.	Number of regiments, Battalions or Batteries.	Number of guns.	Number of men. European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Cavalry	16	1	1	0	1	15	...	...	...	...	1	14	Rs. 18,728	* Last year there were 11 guns of which 2, that were of no use, have been broken and sold. ‡ Vide para 19 of the report.
Artillery	6	...	...	...	5	1	...	*9	...	...	...	1		
Infantry	150	34	6	4	20	154	...	...	...	...	...	‡154		
Total ...	172	35	7	4	26	170	...	9	...	...	1	15		

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APPENDIX I.

STATEMENT showing the STRENGTH, COST, DISCIPLINE and EDUCATION of the POLICE for the year 1915-1916.

Description of Officers.	Number.	Pay of the Grade.	Total Cost.	Punishments.			Rewards.		Education.		Remarks.
				Dismissed.	Fined, degraded or suspended departmentally.	Punished judicially.	By Promotion.	By money.	Number able to read and write.	Number under instruction.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Rs.									
Police Superintendent. ...	1	210		...	...	...	1	...	1	...	* Though there are 62 armed Police Officers, there are only 29 serviceable guns.
Chief Constables.	2	40 to 50		...	...	...	...	...	2	...	
Naib Fouzdars.	2	25 to 30		...	...	...	1	...	2	...	
Minor Police Officers (foot)...	26	14 to 20	Rs.	...	16	...	9	...	18	...	
Police Constables	109	10 to 12		2	84	...	2	...	32	...	
Chief Mounted Police Officer.	1	45	41,212-0-0	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Police Bowars	20	32 to 35		...	3	...	...	...	15	...	
Armed Police Officer. ...	1	30		...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Minor Armed Police Officers...	6 *	14 to 17		...	...	...	2	...	6	...	
Armed Police Constables. ...	55	10 to 12		1	20	3	2	...	...	...	

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Appendix V.

STATEMENT showing the working of the POLICE in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1915-16.

State.	Number of offences.		Number of accused arrested.		Number of accused sent for trial.		Number of accused convicted.		Number of accused acquitted or discharged.		Percentage of convictions (Cols. 4 & 5)		Percentage convicted of accused sent for trial.		Remarks.
	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	9
Cambay	202	204	308	269	292	252	231	210	56	40	75	76.06	79.1	83.33	

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Appendix VI.

STATEMENT showing the VALUE of PROPERTY STOLEN and AMOUNT of RECOVERIES in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1915-1916.

State.	Amount stolen.		Amount recovered.		Percentage of recoveries of Property stolen.		Remarks.
	Past year.	Present year	Past year.	Present year	Past year	Present year	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Cambay	5,891	3,501	2,814	1,771	47.76	50.58	

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Appendix

STATEMENT showing the number of CRIMES COMMI AWAITING TRIAL in the CAMBAY

Number.	Description of Offences.	Number of Offences.			Number of cases disposed of during past year.	Number of cases disposed of during present year.	Number of persons apprehended.	Number of persons convicted.
		Balance from past year.	Committed during the present year	Total.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	A. *Under Indian Penal Code.*							
1	Offences against Public Tranquillity ...	...	24	24	35	24	63	49
2	Offences by or relating to Public Servants	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
3	Contempts of lawful authority of Public Servants	...	8	8	10	8	13	8
4	False Evidence and offences against Public Justice	...	1	1	4	1	1	...
5	Offences relating to Weights & Measures	...	1	1	2	1	1	...
6	Offences affecting the Public Health, Safety, Convenience, Decency or Morals ...	...	32	32	32	31	35	34
7	Offences affecting the Human Body ...							
	[a] Affecting Life		5	5	5	4	5	3
	[b] Of Hurt	1	103	104	108	103	273	26
	[c] Of Wrong Restraint	...	1	1	3	1	4	...
	[d] Of Criminal Force and Assault ...	...	14	14	17	14	26	7
	[e] Of Kidnapping and abduction ...	...	2	2	2	2	2	2
	[f] Of Rape	...	1	1	...	1	1	...
	[g] Of Abortion	1	1	2	1	2	3	2
8	Offences against Property:—							
	(a) Of Theft	...	48	48	44	48	62	57
	(b) Of Extortion	...	1	1	2	1	1	...
	(c) Of Robbery and Decoity ...	...	3	3	1	3	3	3
	(d) Of Criminal Misappropriation of Property	...	6	6	7	6	10	2
	(e) Of Criminal Breach of Trust	...	2	2	5	2	3	2
	(f) Of the Receiving of Stolen Property.	...	1	1	2	1	3	1
	(g) Of Cheating	...	9	9	18	9	12	10
	(h) Of Mischief...	...	35	35	43	35	73	33
	(i) Of Criminal Trespass	...	4	4	17	4	4	2
9	Offences relating to Documents and to Trade or Property marks	...	1	1	2	1	1	...
10	Offences relating to Marriage	...	13	13	17	13	19	3
11	Defamation	...	9	9	13	9	42	...
12	Criminal Intimidation, Insult and Annoyance	...	23	23	37	23	47	4
	Total ...	2	348	350	430	347	705	248

VII.

TTED, number of CASES DISPOSED OF and CASES STATE, during the year 1915-16.

Number of persons sentenced.							Number of persons acquitted or discharged.	Number of persons confined being insane.	Number of persons died during or before trial.	Terms of Imprisonment.										Remarks.
Imprisonment.		Imprisonment and fine.		Fine only.	Whipping.	Total.				Under 1 month.	From 1 to 2 months.	From 2 to 3 months.	From 3 to 6 months.	From 6 to 12 months.	From 1 to 2 years.	From 2 to 3 years.	From 3 to 5 years.	Above 5 years.	Life imprisonment.	Capital punishment.	Awaiting trial.	
Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.																			
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
...	...	...	...	49	...	49	13	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	3	...	2	3	...	8	5	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	34	...	34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
1	1	...	...	0	...	2	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	
...	5	...	5	16	...	26	246	...	...	2	...	...	...	4	2	...	...	2	...	...	1	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	3	...	...	4	...	7	19	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	2	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	
...	24	1	26	6	...	57	5	...	...	26	4	1	5	13	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	1	...	2	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	2	...	...	...	...	2	8	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	1	...	13	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	1	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	4	...	5	1	...	10	2	...	...	4	1	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	33	10	...	33	40	...	...	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	1	...	1	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	3	...	...	...	...	3	16	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	4	...	4	43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1	53	1	65	127	...	247	455	1	1	69	7	4	7	19	5	3	3	2	1	1	3	

(*Continued.*)

			Total	2	348	350	430	347	707	248
	B. *Offences against other laws*									
13	Abkari Act		...	...	2	2	1	2	2	2
14	Cattle Trespass Act		...	...	2	2	7	2	2	2
15	Gambling Act		...	...	7	7	10	7	27	22
16	Police Act		...	...	47	47	27	47	69	63
17	Arms Act...		...	...	3	3	3	3	4	4
18	Prisons Act		...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
19	Customs Act		...	...	2	2	...	2	2	2
20	Factory Act		...	...	2	2	...	2	4	1
		Total	...	...	65	65	49	65	110	96
		Grand Total	...	2	413	415	479	412	817	344

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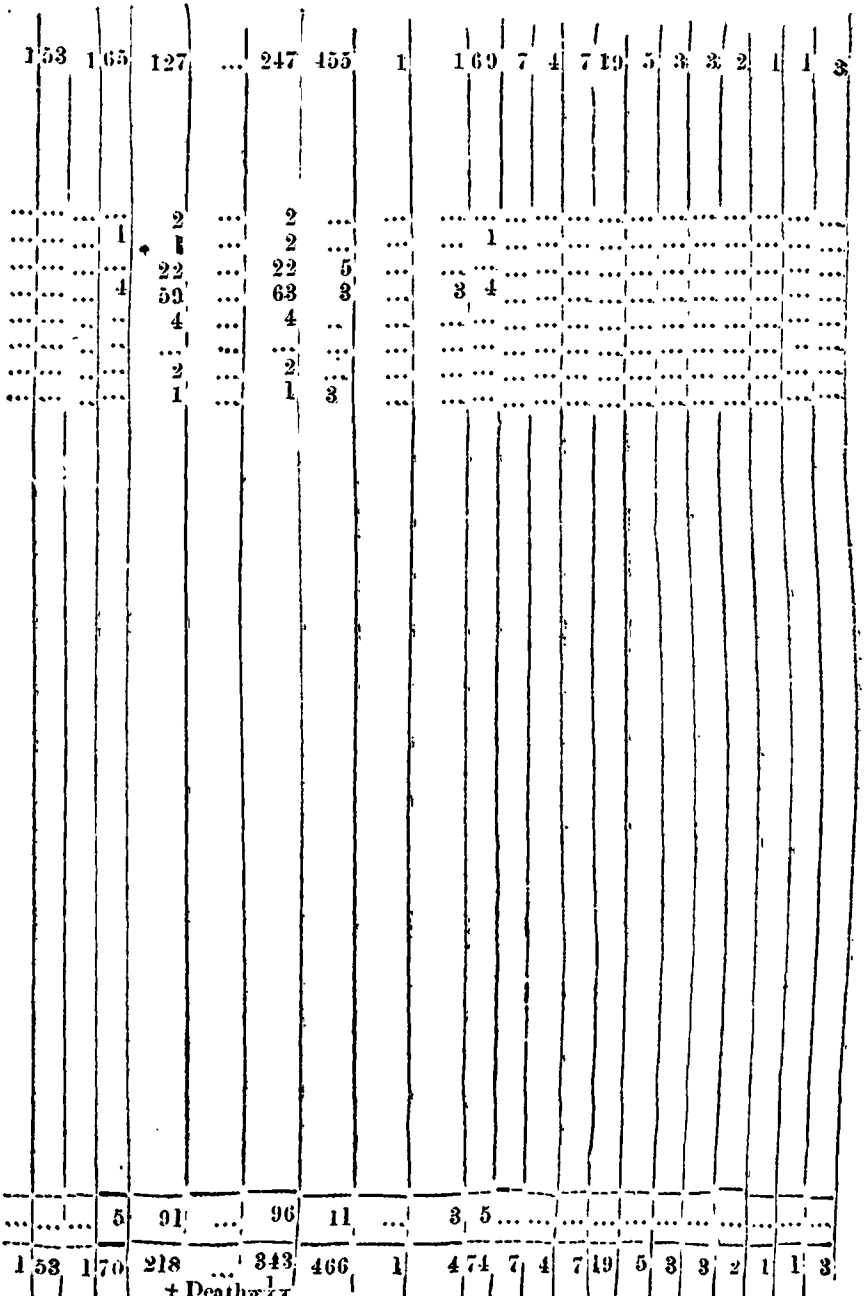

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Appendix VIII.

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER of OFFENCES reported and dealt with by the various Courts in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1915—1916

Name of Court.	Number of offences reported during the year.		Number of persons dealt with								Persons Disposed of.						Remarks.
			Remaining at the end of last year.	Brought to trial in 1916.					Total.								
	Past year.	Present year.		Arrested by Police.	Upon warrant.	On Summons.	Voluntarily.	Arrested in presence of the magistrate.	Past year.	Present year.	Discharged.	Acquitted and Compounded.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped or transferred.	Persons remaining at the end of the year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Magistrate Ist Class.	375	410	0	260	3	542	2	...	1145	807	50	410	326	‡ 16	4	1	‡ As the 16 accused in column 15, whose cases were disposed of by the Sessions Court are included in the total No. 22 of the columns 13, 14 & 17. total of column 15 is left blank.
Do. Nyayadhish.	4	3	...	...	...	4	...	...	6	4	...	3	1	...	...	...	
Sessions Court ...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	17	...	...	2	
Total ...	479	413	6	260	3	546	2	...	1151	811	50	416	344	‡ ...	4	3	

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Appendix IX.

STATEMENT showing the RESULTS of APPEALS against decisions passed by the CRIMINAL COURTS in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1915-1916.

Tribunal.	Number of applications.	Number of persons and cases.																
		Applications rejected.		Sentences.						Proceedings quashed.		Referred.		Further inquiry, &c. ordered.		Pending.		Remarks.
				Confirmed.		Modified.		Reversed.										
		Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Hazoor Court. ...	20	...	...	5	5	15	8	5	4	...	...	...	...	2	1	2	2	
Sessions Court. ..	18	1	1	17	13	4	2	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	38	1	1	22	18	19	10	8	6	...	...	...	...	2	1	2	2	

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Appendix

CIVIL WORK—Nature and value of ORIGINAL

Number.	Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during the year, received by transfer or on demand.		Total.		Disposed of during the year.		Closing balance.	
		Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.
1		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	Nyayadhish Court.	124	82	342	298	466	380	384	265	82	115
2	Sar Nyayadhish (Small Causes Court)	29	48	1116	457	1145	505	1097	479	48	26
3	,, above Rs. 5,000	1	1	1	...	2	1	1	...	1	1
4	Sardars' Court ...	2	2	...	...	2	2	...	1	2	1
	Total ...	156	133	1459	755	1615	888	1482	745	133	143

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X.

SUITS filed and disposed of during the year 1915—16.

SUITS FILED DURING THE PRESENT YEAR.										SUITS DISPOSED OF DURING THE PRESENT YEAR.						
Value.	Suits re-landed property.	Suits for money transactions.	Suits for other rights.	No. of suits under Rs. 50.	No. of suits above Rs. 50 and under Rs. 100.	No. of suits above Rs. 100 and under Rs. 500.	No. of suits above Rs. 500 and under Rs. 1,000.	No. of suits above Rs. 1,000 and under Rs. 5,000.	Above Rs. 5,000.	Exparte.	Admitted and Compromised.	Struck off the file.	Otherwise disposed of.	Value.	Average Duration.	REMARKS.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Rs.														Rs.		
44867	29	171	98	81	28	123	17	1	Un valuable 45	26	79	4	138	5196	11.5	
9830	...	457	...	400	57	...	...	...	...	140	251	30	58	10182	50.0	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	645	30.6	
54747	29	628	98	481	85	123	17	4	45	166	348	34	197	62023	1025.8	

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Appendix XI.

CIVIL WORK—RESULTS of APPLICATIONS for execution of decrees.

Number	Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Value of opening balance for present year.	Applications brought to the register.			Total.			Disposed of.			Closing balance.			Nature of applications pending disposal at the close of year 1915-16.			Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Under 6 months.	Under 12 months.	Above 12 months.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
				Rs.			Rs.			Rs.			Rs.			Rs.				
1	Nyayadhish Court...	178	174	75765	506	250	42984	684	424	118749	510	278	53897	174	146	64852	32	81	33	
2	Sar Nyayadhish Court	63	57	1261	544	292	6441	607	349	7702	550	280	6201	57	69	1501	15	51	3	
	Total ...	241	231	77026	1050	542	49425	1291	773	126451	1060	558	60098	231	215	66353	47	132	36	

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Appendix XII.

CIVIL WORK—Value and Results of Appeals in CIVIL SUITS

Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during.		Total.		Disposed of during.		Closing balance.		Value of appeals filed during.		How Disposed of.										Average duration.		Remarks.
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Decisions confirmed.		Decisions reversed.		Decisions amended.		Cases remanded for re-trial.		Cases Compromised and otherwise disposed of.		Past year.	Present year.	
													Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
											Rs.	Rs.													
Sar Nyayadhish Court First appeals	10	6	96	52	106	58	100	46	6	12	13543	16436	53	26	15	5	18	12	12	1	2	2	65.6	134.7	
Hazur Court Second appeals ...	2	5	21	13	23	18	18	18	5	...	3426	2965	14	16	4	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	5505	40.6	
Hazur Court First appeals ...	...	2	2	1	2	3	...	2	2	1	7572	645	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	225	
Total ...	12	13	119	66	131	79	118	66	13	13	24541	20046	67	44	19	6	18	13	12	1	2	2	60.33	133.4	

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Appendix XIII.

STATEMENT showing the number of persons confined in the JAILS and LOCK-UPS in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1915-16.

Station.	Number of prisons.	Number of prisoners.				Daily average in Jail.		Number of prisoners remaining at the end of the year.	Total cost of Jail and prisoners.	Average period of accused under trial.	Remarks showing mortality among convicts in Jail.
		Remaining from last year.	Admitted during the year.	Total.							
				Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Cambay	1	64	132	183	196	52.8	60.3	66	Rs. 5235	1.	One prisoner died in the prison from a natural cause.

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Appendix XIV.

REGISTRATION of DOCUMENTS in the CAMBAY STATE.

Name of State.	Nature of documents presented.												Documents registered.		Value of Documents registered.		Documents of which registry has been refused.		Documents remaining unregistered pending enquiry at the close of the year.		Remarks.
	Documents presented for registration.		Mortgages.		Sale deeds.		Wills.		Money bonds.		Miscellaneous.										
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Cambay.	1013	1163	462	564	461	520	34	26	...	...	56	53	1013	1162	Rs. 479671	Rs. 412313	...	1	...	...	

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Appendix XV.

STATEMENT showing the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE on account of REGISTRATION during the year 1915-1916.

Description.	Past year.				Present year.				Remarks.
	Number of deeds.	Value of property.		Fees realized.	Number of deeds.	Value of property.		Fees realized.	
1	2	3		4	5	6		7	8
		Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	
Mortgages	462	118172	3 0	1882 4 0	564	130758	13 6	2096 4 0	
Sale deeds	461	162498	5 9	4964 0 0	520	181614	12 0	5247 12 0	
Wills	34	176266	9 6	305 0 0	26	69177	2 6	222 0 0	
Miscellaneous	56	22734	2 0	597 12 0	53	30762	7 2	838 8 0	
Total ...	1013	479671	4 3	7749 0 0	1163	412313	3 2	8404 8 0	
Deduct Expenditure ...	.....	.....		913 0 0	.....	.....		912 0 0	
Net profit ...	.....	.....		6836 0 0	.....	.....		7492 8 0	

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Appendix XVI.

RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the MUNICIPALITY in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1915-1916.

NAME.	Opening balance.	Receipts during the year.		Total in current year.	Expenditure during the year.		Closing balance.	REMARKS.
		Past	Present		Past.	Present.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. As. P.	
Cambay Municipality	2915	17873	43940	46855	17347	41904	4951 0 0	

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Appendix XVII.

STATEMENT of RAINFALL in the CAMBAY STATE.

State.	June, 1915.	July, 1915.	August, 1915.	September, 1915.	October, 1915.	November, 1915.	December, 1915.	January, 1916.	February, 1916.	March, 1916.	April, 1916.	May, 1916.	Total.	Total of previous year.	Average of past 5 years.	Remarks.
	Inches. Cents.	Inches. Cents.	Inches. Cents.	Inches. Cents.	Inches. Cents.	Inches. Cents.	Inches. Cents.	Inches. Cents.	Inches. Cents.	Inches. Cents.	Inches. Cents.	Inches. Cents.	Inches. Cents.	Inches. Cents.	Inches. Cents.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Cambay.	3-49	5-98	1-21	0-67	2-9	...	0-3	...	...	...	0-1	0-71	14-19	39-94	30-77	

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Appendix XVIII.

STATEMENT as to prices of STAPLE FOOD-GRAINS.

State	Articles.	During May 1915 (past year.)	During May 1916 (present year.)	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
	Bajri	2 0 0	2 5 0	
	Kodara	1 2 0	1 8 0	
	Wheat-red	2 4 0	2 6 6	
Bombay	Do. white	2 12 0	2 11 0	
	Rice	2 12 0 to 4 0 0	3 4 0 to 4 4 0	
	Dal Tuvar.	3 0 0	3 10 0	
	Muth	1 12 0	2 1 0	* This crop was a total failure last season and there were no imports of it.
	Gram	2 4 0	*0 0 0	

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Appendix XIX.

AGRICULTURAL STOCK in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1915-1916.

District.	Year.	Cattle.					Horses.				Asses.	Sheep and Goats.	Ploughs.		Carts.		Remarks.
				Buffaloes.													
		Bullocks.	Cows.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Horses.	Mares.	Colts and Fillies.	Total.			With two Bullocks.	With four Bullocks.	Riding.	Load carrying.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Cambay City ...	1915-16	1047	386	155	1168	2756	141	13	...	154	747	963	185	...	303	226	
Do. District ...	Do.	12096	7556	1712	15137	36501	52	121	56	229	404	6655	4659	14	147	2415	
Total ...	...	13143	7942	1867	16305	39257	193	134	56	383	1151	7618	4844	14	450	2641	
1914-15 ...	...	...	...	...	...	40556	...	...	...	392	...	...	4956		3125		

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Appendix XX.

EXPENDITURE of PUBLIC WORKS, during the year 1915-1916.

State.	Description of works.	State funds.			Local funds.			Total.
		Original.	Repairs.	Total.	Original.	Repairs.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Cambay, ...	Buildings	Rs 26559	Rs. 12457	Rs, 39016	Rs. 1807	Rs. 483	Rs. 2290	Rs, 41306
	Wells, Tanks, and Water works ...	122691	424	123115	512	1775	2287	125402
	Roads	...	158	158	1587	3200	4787	4945
	Reclamation	...	476	476	...	...	...	476
	Gardens	...	7093	7093	...	...	...	7093
	Establishment	5996	...	5996	1531	...	1531	7527
	Miscellaneous	1824	...	1824	658	...	658	2482
	Total ...	157070	20608	177678	6095	5458	11553	189231

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Appendix XXI.

STATEMENT showing the EXCISE SHOPS and EXCISE REVENUE of the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1915-1916.

Name of State.	Country Spirit.		Opium.		Ganja.		Toddy.		Total.		Remarks.
	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.	
Cambay	12	49289	34	32632	4	1638	2	2225	52	85784	

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APPENDIX XXII.

Appendix

No. I. RECEIPTS.

No.	Items.	Samvat year 1970 ended 19th October 1914.	Samvat year 1971 ended 7th November 1915.	Increase	Decrease.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Land Revenue	355569	331968	.....	23601
2	Law and Justice	13648	13393	.....	255
3	Stamps	10047	10786	739	.....
4	Registration	8019	8844	825	.....
5	Customs	6209	6382	173	.....
6	Salt Compensation and Nazarana	40155	40155	.....	.....
7	Abkari including Bhang, Ganja and Poisonous Substances ...	44682	53242	8560	.....
8	Opium	31316	32632	1316	.....
9	Cattle Pounds, Fees and Fines...	3429	3452	23	.....
10	Octroi Duties	40181	46176	5995	.....
11	Education and Library	3281	3566	285	.....
12	Jail	1883	2026	143	.....
13	Interest on Loans	47559	66529	18970	.....
14	Miscellaneous	14344	22577	8233	.....
15	Cambay Railway	26651	26818	167	.....
	Total Receipts ...	646973	668546	45429	23856
	Deposits and Advances ...	157351	86455	.....	70896
	Excluded Funds	38456	41658	3202	.....
	Total ...	842780	796659	48631	94752
	Opening Balance	535088	581513	46425	.....
	Grand Total ...	1377868	1378172	95056	94752

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No. II. EXPENDITURE.

No.	Items.	Samvat year 1970 ended 19th October 1914	Samvat year 1971 ended 7th November 1915	Increase.	Decrease.
1	2	3	4	5.	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Palace Expenses and Allowances paid to His Highness's relatives...	112985	99078	...	13907
2	Provisioning Department or Modikhana and Grass Ganji ...	66084	62972	...	3112
3	Parvarshis	7793	8468	675	...
4	Pensions...	5634	7679	2045	...
5	Charities and Religious Grants ...	7754	8095	341	...
6	Hukdars' Allowances	4111	4097	...	14
7	Levies	24658	18738	...	5920
8	Police	25110	41212	16102	...
9	Public Works Department ...	43826	54825	10999	...
10	Municipality	....	24714	24714	...
11	General Administration ...	28969	32796	3827	...
12	Village Officers and Ravanias ...	22744	25461	2717	...
13	Abkari	9389	13219	3830	...
14	Opium	6250	9242	2992	...
15	Registration	913	912	...	1
16	Octroi Duty Establishment ...	4427	4883	456	...
17	Customs and Ferries.	7176	5963	...	1213
18	Law and Justice.	12686	14082	1396	...
19	Jail	4067	5235	1168	...
20	Medical Charges including Veterinary Surgeon and Vaccination Departments	13508	14559	1051	...
21	Education and Library	19524	21034	1510	...
22	Printing and Stationery ...	1437	1513	76	...
23	Tribute paid to the British Government	21924	21924	...	...
24	Interest on Debts	7788	9315	1527	...
25	Miscellaneous	1938	822	...	1116
26	Cambay Railway, Wharf and Water works	78200	132283	54083	...
	Total Expenditure ...	538965	643071	129389	25283
	Deposits and Advances ...	224140	155071	...	69069
	Excluded Funds	33250	60028	26778	...
	Total Payments ...	796355	858170	156167	94352
	Closing Balance	581513	520002	...	61511
	Grand Total ...	1377868	1378172	156167	155863

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Appendix XXIII.

STATEMENT of MEDICAL RELIEF afforded in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1915-1916.

Dispensary.	Number of patients treated.		Results of Indoor-patients.				Expenditure.	Daily average.	Remarks.
	Out-door.	In-door.	Discharged.	Absented.	Died.	Remaining under treatment.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
							Rs. a. p.		
Kennedy Hospital	18203	290	270	8	7	5	5996 1 2	208.0	
Bibi Bahu Begam Saheb's Free Dispensary	14215	...	...	...	...	...	3890 11 3	148.8	
Zenana Hospital	5322	...	...	...	...	...	1955 5 3	95.5	
Tarapur Dispensary	4923	...	...	...	...	...	887 0 11	98.0	
Varasada Do.	5241	...	...	...	...	...	624 15 6	57.8	
Total ...	47904	290	270	8	7	5	13354 2 1	608.1	

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Appendix XXIV.

VITAL STATISTICS of the CAMBAY STATE, for the year 1915-1916.

NAME.	Population.	Births.		Increase.	Decrease.	Deaths.		Increase.	Decrease.	Ratio per 1000 of population.				REMARKS.
		Past year.	Present year.			Past year.	Present year.			Births.		Deaths.		
										Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Cambay City... ...	28134	843	918	75	...	795	847	52	...	29.96	32.27	28.25	30.10	
Do. District ...	44522	1711	1679	...	32	1292	1032	...	260	38.43	37.71	29.02	23.17	
Total ...	72656	2554	2597	75	32	2087	1879	52	260	34.19	34.99	28.72	26.63	

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Appendix XXV.

PARTICULARS as to the SCHOOL MAINTAINED by the CAMBAY STATE, for the year 1915-1916.

Number of Schools.		Description of schools.	Number of pupils on Roll on 31st May.		Daily average attendance.		Expenditure.			Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	High School.	Secondary	Primary.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
							Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	1	Cambay High School...	203	221	199	224	8782	...	...	
1	1	Tarapur A. D. M. English School ...	19	21	22.6	24.5	...	463	...	
26	26	Vernacular Schools in the City and in the District	2090	2494	1638.9	1809.1	...	...	11578	
1	3	Urdu (Madressa) ...	104	246	53.8	141.2	...	...	923	
1	1	Sanskrit Shala ...	29	30	18.1	16.3	...	...	208	
1	1	Antyaja Shala ...	19	18	21.5	13.8	...	...	131	
31	33	Total ...	2464	3030	1953.9	2228.9	8782	463	12840	
4	5	Girls' Schools... ...	363	550	258.8	355.7	...	...	3034	
35	38	Grand Total ...	2827	3580	2212.7	2584.6	8782	463	15874	

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BUDGET ESTIMATE of the CAMBAY STATE for the Samvat Year 1972.

RECEIPTS.

Items.	Amount.
1	2
	Rs.
1. Land Revenue	265548
2. Law and Justice ...	10025
3. Stamps	9000
4. Registration	8000
5. Customs	5537
6. Salt Compensation and Nazarana	40155
7. Abkari including Bhang, Ganja and Poisonous Substances	48140
8. Opium	30000
9. Cattle Pound Fees and Fines	3150
10. Octroi and Import-Duties	42000
11. Education and Library...	3315
12. Jail	1790
13. Interest on Loans ...	60000
14. Miscellaneous	13025
15. Cambay Railway ...	31778
Total Receipts ...	571463
Deposits and Advances ...	207167
Total ...	778630
Opening Balance ...	469714
Grand Total ...	1248344

EXPENDITURE.

Items.	Amount.
3	4
	Rs.
1. Palace Expenses	115050
2. Provisioning Department ...	63153
3. Pensions	11000
4. Parrarshies...	7446
5. Charities or Religious grants	8000
6. Hakdars' Allowances ...	4494
7. Levies...	14817
8. Police	44741
9. Public Works Department	109078
10. Municipal Grant	18000
11. General Administration ...	31298
12. Village Officers and Ravanias	25592
13. Abkari...	14576
14. Opium	9225
15. Registration	781
16. Octroi Duty Establishment..	4254
17. Customs and Ferries	5852
18. Law and Justice...	16378
19. Jail	6256
20. Medical Charges including Veterinary Surgeon's and Vaccination Departments..	14811
21. Education and Library ...	21366
22. Printing and Stationery ...	1640
23. Tribute paid to the British Government	21924
24. Interest on Debts	10000
25. Miscellaneous	4877
Total ...	584109
Extraordinary Expenses	36885
Deposits and Advances	232161
Total ...	853155
Closing Balance ...	395189
Grand Total ...	1248344

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FOR THE YEAR 1916-17

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ADMINISTRATION REPORT

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CAMBAY STATE

FOR THE YEAR 1916—1917.

CHAPTER I.

General and Political.

There is no change in the area, 350 square miles; and population, which, according to the census of 1911 is 72,656. The Gross Revenue on the average of the last five years is Rs. 6,18,867 while the land revenue only for the year under report is Rs. 3,30,412.

2. The general statistics, given in this report, relate to the period from 1st June 1916 to 31st May 1917; but the financial figures cover the period beginning from 8th November 1915 to 31st October 1916 i. e. the Samvat year 1972 and the first 5 days of the following Samvat year 1973. It will have to be kept in mind for purposes of comparison that the year 1972 consisted of 13 months while 1973 had 11 months. All this confusion will be avoided as the financial year will run in future from 1st November to 31st October.

3. His Highness Nazamuddaulah Mumtaz-ul-Mulk Momin-khan Bahadur Dilaverjang Nawab Hussein Yavar Khan Bahadur is a Mogal of the Shiah faith and the State continued to be under British Administration as in the

previous year. The Nawab is now 6 years old. A European Governess looks after him and takes him about. He is being taught the Koran and Urdu by a Mahomedan teacher and he has picked up a little English from his Governess. His health is very good and he can ride a little.

Tribute.

4. The State pays an Annual Tribute of Rs. 21,924-4-0 to the British Government.

The King-Emperor's Birth-Day.

5. The 4th of June, being the birth-day of His Imperial Majesty, the King-Emperor George V of Windsor was observed quietly and without any public function in conformity with the declared wishes of His Majesty.

The Visits of Political Officers.

6. His Excellency Lord Willingdon the Governor of Bombay with Her Excellency the Lady Willingdon paid a visit to this State on 11th December 1916. A special address was presented by the Cambay Municipality. The Political Agent, Kaira, J. Ghosal, Esquire, I. C. S. visited Cambay at the time of the visit of Their Excellencies. The Honourable Mr. F. Pratt, I. C. S. Commissioner, N. D. paid a visit to Cambay in the month of March 1917 and was here from 31st March to 4th April.

Personnel.

7. Mr. K. R. Bomanji, C. S. (Retired) continued to carry on the duties of Administrator during the year. He went on six weeks' privilege leave from 1st May 1917 and Mr. J. Ghosal, I. C. S. Collector and Political Agent, Kaira held charge of his office in addition to his own

duties under Government Notification No. 2786 Political Department, dated 10th April 1917. Mr. Manibhai Gulabbhai Desai, Sar-Nyayadhish returned to duty on 12th June 1916 from sick leave. Till then Mr. Ziyauddin Mahomed Usman Maulvi, High Court Pleader (1910) continued to work as Sar-Nyayadhish. On 12th June 1916 Mr. Ziyauddin Mahomed Usman Maulvi and Mr. Chunilal Shyamji Trivedi, High Court Pleader (1909) reverted to their original posts of the First Class Magistrate and the Public Prosecutor respectively. Miss Sarah Ghose F. S. A. Surgeon, Lady Doctor of the Victoria Diamond Jubilee Zenana Hospital continued to work till 18th March 1917, when she left owing to ill health. Her services were dispensed with as she was not strong enough to work efficiently. The post of the Lady Doctor is yet vacant. Attempts are being made to fill it up. Mr. Martand Vaman Bhavalker, L. C. E. State Engineer, continued to work till 30th September 1916. His services were dispensed with and Mr. M. S. Kapadia B. Sc. (London) L. C. E., B. Sc. (Bombay) was appointed in his place from 1st October 1916. Mr. Kapadia worked as State Engineer upto 28th February 1917 and then he tendered his resignation on medical advice, the climate of Cambay being found unsuitable to his health. The post of the State Engineer then remained vacant upto 1st April 1917. Mr. J. R. Jussavala B. E. was appointed as State Engineer on 2nd April 1917 and he worked throughout the remaining portion of the year. Mr. Abanmia Alias Zahirruddin Rahimuddin worked as Assistant Engineer upto 14th September 1916. He was then retired and Mr. T. K. Shah was appointed in his place as Assistant Engineer from 15th September 1916. Mr. Shah continued to work upto 31st December 1916. From 1st January 1917 his services were dispensed with as he was found unsatisfactory and the

post remained vacant till 14th February 1917. From 15th February 1917 Mr. Martand Vaman Bhavalker L. C. E. was appointed as Assistant Engineer and he continued to work throughout the year. Mr. Abanmia Alias Zahirruddin Rahimuddin continued to work as Furja Daroga upto 15th October 1916 and then the pay of this post was reduced to Rs. 40/- per mensem. Mr. Chunibhai Manibhai Mehta continued to work as Daroga of the Treasury upto 12th March 1917. He was then retired and Rao Saheb Mohanlal Bapulal Raval (Government Accountant, P. W. D. Retired) was appointed Daroga of the Treasury from 13th March 1917. He continued to work for the remaining portion of the year.

CHAPTER II.

Administration of Land.

8. The Cambay State consists of 88 villages besides the town of Cambay. 5 of these are Inami or alienated and 2 are Jivai i. e. held on life tenure. Of these two one Wasna is given for the maintenance of the late Nawab's nephew Mirza Mahomed Kuli Khan and another Vainaj to another nephew Mirza Fidaudin Khan. The survey settlement was introduced in 1893 and it expires in 1923.

Jamabandi.

9. The following comparative statement gives the results of the Jamabandi settlements for the year of report and for the previous year.

Year.	Fixed land Revenue.	Miscellaneous land Revenue.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Land Revenue for 1972 ...	2,87,871	29,742	3,17,613
Land Revenue settled for Samvat 1973	2,92,344	38,068	3,30,412
Increase ...	4,473	8,326	12,799

10. The increase in Fixed Land Revenue is chiefly due to waste lands of the assessment of Rs. 3036 being taken up deducting relinquishments amounting to Rs 824. It is also due to giving out for cultivation of the Kalamsar bir land of the assessment of Rs. 1,901-10-0 with occupancy price. The item for 1972 of Miscellaneous land revenue is for the period ending October 1916 (i. e. Diwali). This item for 1973 consists of Rs. 30,226-10-9 of miscellaneous receipts upto the time of the Jamabandhi (February 1917.) and Rs. 7841-12-1 subsequently. The increase in this income during 1973 is chiefly due to the fact that there were no grass auctions in the previous year owing to scanty rainfall when the grass lands were thrown open to free grazing. In 1972 there was an increase of about Rs. 7,500 which was the amount realised in grass auctions. Another item of increase was due to the income of the Nawab's khangi lands being treated as khalsa and included in the State land revenue.

Revenue Collection.

11. The Land Revenue recoverable for the Samvat Year 1973 was Rs. 3,30,412 of which Rs. 3,24,539 were recovered upto 31st May 1917, leaving a balance of Rs.5,873. Out of this balance Rs. 4,139 have been recovered subsequently i. e. nearly Rs 1,734 remain to be collected.

18 licenses for 22 arms (guns) have been given to agriculturists during the year under report for crop protection against wild animals. The Universal Ant Exterminator was not used for general purposes as there was no occasion to do so. But it was tried to destroy rats noticed in State gardens and was found effective. Its efficacy is being brought to the notice of the public so that it can be tried in open fields whenever there is occasion for it.

Outstanding Balance.

12. The total amount of Outstanding Balance, including Rs. 55,334 for the Samvat Year 1972 was Rs. 1,06,087. Out of this Rs 54,431 were recovered and Rs. 18,103 were written off, leaving a balance of Rs. 33,553 to be recovered. Of the amount remitted Rs. 10,248 were on account of the water rate on rice lands as owing to scanty rainfall the rice crop was a failure in many places and was replaced by dry crops. The rest of the remissions were for miscellaneous items.

Waste Land.

13. The total area of Waste Land during the year under report was 36,315 acres against 36,598 in the previous year. 27,285 acres of these are cultivable and the rest uncultivable. Of this cultivable area about 26,146 acres remain uncultivated owing to want of cultivators. There has been an extraordinary demand for waste lands due in a large measure to the very high prices of cotton. Prices have not been so high since the American War in the sixties and though they have not reached the high water mark of that period they are not much lower This year waste land in 29 (Bahra and Charotar) villages was given out to Mr. Manhordas Gopaldas Desai of Nadiad and others living outside the limits of this State. The land of the Bahra villages is given for cultivation free of assessment for 2 years and that of the Charotar villages for 1 year and a half according to standing rules. So that a great portion of the Waste Land will soon be brought under cultivation. The State people have also wakened up to some extent. The details of Waste Land given out are as under:-

Description.	Acres.	Assessment.
		Rs. a. p.
Rent free for 2 years and 1½ years	17,751-28	61,293 4 0
To State Residents with occupancy price	801-8	2,568 1 0
To State Residents on restricted tenure... ...	1,030-28	3,594 10 0
Total ...	19,583-24	67,455 15 0

In a couple of years the land revenue ought to show an increase of 20% which is a big jump. The restricted tenure has found favour. The area given out last year on this tenure was 532 acres of the assessment of Rs. 2,697. The area this year is twice as large as is in the previous year though the increase in the assessment is not so great being Rs. 897.

Tagavi Advance.

14. The amount of Tagavi outstanding in the beginning of the year under report was Rs. 1,05,849. To this amount Rs. 1251 were added as interest and Rs. 165 the amount of Tagavi by adjustment of account of the Hazur khangi Khata. Thus the total stood at Rs. 1,07,265. During 1972 Rs. 59 were advanced as Tagavi for seed. Out of the total amount of Rs. 1,07,324 Rs. 26,330 were recovered and Rs. 4,909 were remitted leaving a balance of Rs. 76,085 at the end of May 1917. The remissions were mostly for the years previous to 1961 the khatedars having died or left their villages or having no property left for realisation.

Local Fund.

15. The Local Fund Cess is charged at the rate of half an anna per every rupee. Rs 15,470 were due during the year under report of which Rs. 14,856 were recovered and Rs. 8 were remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 606 which, it is hoped, will be recovered.

CHAPTER III.

Protection.

Legislation.

16. The State has adopted some of the important British Indian Acts in force in the Bombay Presidency and has enacted its own Limitation, Registration, Stamp, and Court fees and Municipal Acts. The boilers of all the factories in this State continued to be examined by the Government Inspector of Steam Boilers, N. D. Ahmedabad in accordance with the arrangement sanctioned by Government.

17 The Laws in force in this State are shown in Appendix II.

[*a*] Military Force.

18. The State does not maintain any regular Military Force, but what remains of the old irregular levies is shown in Appendix III.

19. The Cavalry consists of H. H. the Nawab's Body Guard, 3 in number and is armed with swords only. The remaining 7 continued as flag bearers. The Artillery comprises men, kept for firing cannon as salutes on ceremonial

and festival occasions. The services of the five persons transferred to the Infantry were utilized whenever necessary in connection with the artillery work while the remaining one man was specially kept up for it. There are nine guns at present in a serviceable condition. The Infantry (146 men) consisted of the old Biraderi who are gradually being reduced. The men continued in two sections i. e. Tehnatis (. Personal servants) to the Darbar relatives and friends under H. H.'s cousin Mirza Mahomed Kulikhan and the other consists of the men who watch the gates of the town. These persons are under the Superintendent of Police exclusive of the Armed Police.

20. This irregular force was maintained at a cost of Rs. 13,758 as against Rs. 18,738 in the previous year, the decrease being due to the reduction in the number of the Infantry and also to the fact that the Samvat Year under report consisted of 11 months.

(*b*) **Police.**

21. The total strength of the Police Force, including the armed men this year continued to be 223 (vide Appendix IV). It is distributed as under:—

	Sanctioned No.	Vacancies.
Armed Men	62	16
Sowars	21	4
Foot Police	140	18
	223	– 38=185

The regular system of patrols by the Sowars continued to be in force and it has checked crime to some extent. Though the rate of pay of the Foot Police was increased last year from Rs. 9/11 to Rs. 10/12 the service does not seem to attract men. The Superintendent has no less

than 34 vacancies as compared to 18 last year. In British Districts local allowances have recently been started which makes recruiting here still harder. I am afraid we will also have to adopt a system of local allowances.

22. The maintenance of this Force cost the State Rs. 40,857 against Rs. 41,212 in the previous year. As the year under report consisted of 11 months while the previous year consisted of 13 months, the average per month was 3,170 in the previous year against 3,717 in the year under report i. e. an increase of Rs. 547 per month. The number of vacancies was larger in the year under report by 17. The increase is due to an increase of expenditure of about Rs. 1600 for arms and dress and Rs. 2,000 for replacing worn out Sowars' horses. The ratio of police to population and area per square mile remained the same i. e. .3 per cent and .63 respectively.

Working of the Police.

23. The comparative results of the working of the police, during the year under report and in the previous year are shown in Appendix V. Of 125 cases reported to the police against 204 last year, 93 were committed for trial, 11 were struck off the register under magisterial orders and 21 remained undetected at the end of the year. The volume of crime decreased. probably because the agricultural season was a good one. The number of accused persons decreased by 100 or about 37 per cent.

24. Of the 93 cases, committed for trial, 77 ended in conviction, 6 were compounded, 7 were acquitted and 3 remained undisposed of at the end of the year.

25. Of the 169 persons, arrested by the Police, 165 were sent up for trial. Of the latter, 131 were convicted 19 were acquitted, in the case of 10 men the cases were compounded and 5 remained pending.

26. The percentage (77.51) of convictions to arrests and that (79.39) of convictions to committals showed small variations but the results are creditable to the force.

27. Appendix VI gives the comparative values of property stolen and recovered during the year as compared with the previous year. The percentage of recovery shows an appreciable increase over the previous year; while the value of property stolen was reduced by 12 per cent.

The work of the department is satisfactory and Mr. Jagannath Rege, Superintendent of Police and the officers and men working under him deserve credit for their continued efforts to increase the efficiency of the force.

28. The police force was regularly drilled as usual.

Village Police.

29. The total strength of the Village Police excluding the Mukhis and Deputy Mukhis, during the year of report was 381 against 383 in the preceding year. It was maintained at a cost of Rs. 18,343 in cash and Rs. 415 in land. The increase (about Rs. 3400) over the previous year is due to the scale of pay of the Ravanias and Havaldars being raised from Rs. 3 and 4 to Rs. 4 and 5 respectively. There are 84 Mukhis and 79 Deputy Mukhis.

(c) Criminal Justice.

30. The details of the working of the Criminal Courts in this State are shown in Appendices VII and VIII.

31. 394 cases, including three being the balance of the preceding year, came up for disposal against 415 last year. Of these 386 were disposed off, leaving a balance of eight at the close of the year.

32. The total number of persons involved in these cases was 810, including three awaiting trial at the end of the last year. 793 of these were disposed off, leaving 17 awaiting trial.

33. Of those disposed of, 37 were discharged, 408 were acquitted and compounded, 348 were convicted. Of those acquitted and compounded 1 being insane is confined in prison.

34. Of those convicted, 57 were sentenced to imprisonment, 21 to imprisonment with fine, 266 to fine only and 4 to whipping.

35. The average duration of the cases disposed of by the Magistrate during the year of report was 3.18 against 1.42 days last year which is a great falling off.

The Sessions or Sar Nyayadhish Court.

36. All the 12 cases, committed to the Court of Sessions during the year against 15 in the previous year, were disposed of. Out of 16 persons involved in these cases, 11 were convicted and 5 were acquitted.

37. The average duration of these cases was 17 against 28.2 last year which is good improvement.

38. Appendix IX shows the working of the Appellate Courts in Criminal Cases.

39. 38 appeals were filed during the year of report against the same number in the previous year. Of these 37 were disposed of and 1 remained pending at the close of the year. Of those disposed of, 3 were rejected, the decision of the Lower Courts was confirmed in 17, modified in 8, reversed in 5 and 4 were remanded for retrial.

40. The average duration of these appeals was 14.3 days against 16.8 in the previous year.

(*d*) Civil Justice.

41. Appendix X gives details about the Civil Suits filed and disposed of by the three Civil Courts, viz. the Nyayadhish, the Sar-Nyayadhish and Sardars' Courts.

42. 1157 cases, including 143 being the closing balance of the last year, came up for disposal against 888 the year before. Of these 1027 were disposed of against 745 in the previous year, leaving a closing balance of 130. The increase in litigation was very heavy the number of suits having gone up by 30 per cent.

43. The value of the suits, filed during the year under report was Rs. 79,167 against Rs. 54,747 last year.

44. The average duration of these suits was 442.18 against 1025.8 last year. The high rate of duration this year is due to the fact that one case of the Sar Nyayadhish Court and one of the Sardar Court took 820 and 890 days respectively for disposal. Taking each Court separately the duration was much longer than in the previous year in the Nyayadhish Court and much shorter in the Sar Nyayadhish and Sessions Courts.

Sardars' Court.

45. One case that remained pending last year, was disposed of this year.

Revenue Court.

46. 51 possession suits came up for disposal against 29 in the previous year. All these suits were disposed of. Out of these, 39 cases were tried and 12 were struck off the file, 28 of these cases were examined in this office. The work was satisfactory.

47. 83 rent suits had to be decided against 46 in the previous year. All of them were disposed of. In 2 cases out of the total number (101) of possession and rent suits (28 and 73 respectively) applications were made for revision. The decision of the lower Court was confirmed in both. Of the 83 rent suits, 73 were examined in this Court. The work done seems satisfactory.

Village Panchayats.

48. The Village Panchayats continued to do their work as usual.

49. They disposed of all the 348 petty Criminal cases brought before them against 277 last year. Of these 4 cases were certified as fit for trial in Criminal Courts.

50. 657 Civil cases, including 45 from last year came up for disposal before them against 475 in the previous year. They amicably settled 255 cases and certified 353 as fit for trial in Civil Courts, leaving 49 undisposed of at the close of the year. The Panchayat system works very well here and relieves the Courts of a good deal of petty work and saves the people money which would otherwise go to pleaders and court fees.

Execution of Decrees.

51. Appendix XI gives details regarding the execution of decrees during the year of report in the Civil Courts. As might be expected from the increase in litigation generally the number of executions was also large. But there has been very satisfactory improvement in the disposal of the work.

52. 879 fresh applications were made which, with 215 the opening balance, made up a total of 1094. 987 of these were disposed of, leaving a closing balance of 107.

Civil Appeal.

53. Appendix XII gives details of Civil Appeals filed and disposed of during the year of report.

54. 51 appeals, 36 first and 15 second were made against 79 last year. Of these 36 first and 14 second appeals were disposed of, leaving a balance of one of second appeals.

55. As to the first appeals disposed of, the decision of the lower court was confirmed in 15, reversed in 11, amended in 9, and 1 case was compromised.

56. In the second appeals, the decision of the lower court was confirmed in 11, reversed in 1, amended in 1 and 1 was remanded for retrial.

57. The total value of the appeals, filed during the year of report, was Rs. 20,128 against 20,046 last year.

(e) Extradition,

58. The surrender of 27 persons, including 1 from last year, was demanded by this State, twenty two from the British Government and 5 from certain Native States. Of these 17 were surrendered, 14 by the British Government and 3 by the Native States, and 10 remained to be surrendered, 8 by the British Government and 2 by the Native States, at the end of the year.

59. The surrender of 21 accused was demanded from this State during the year of report, thirteen by the British Government and eight by some Native States. The demand for the surrender of 1 person was withdrawn by a Native State and 16 were surrendered, 13 to the British Government and 3 to the Native States. Four accused remained to be surrendered to the Native States at the end of the year. The exchange has worked satisfactorily.

(f) Prisons.

60. Appendix XIII gives details of Jail Administration.

61. Of the 160 prisoners in the Jail against 196 last year, 66 were the balance of the previous year and 94 were admitted during the year of report, 54 of them remained undischarged at the end of the year under report.

62. The daily average of the prisoners during the year of report was 56.2 against 60.3 last year.

63. The Jail was maintained at a cost of Rs. 5,657 against 5,235 in the previous year. The increase is due to additional expense incurred in the purchase of uniforms for Warders and blankets for the prisoners.

64. The prisoners are employed in indoor work and weaving carpets, khadis and chadars with fly shuttle and other improved looms, and are also employed in grinding grain. They do outdoor work at times on Public Works as labourers, under armed police guards. They earned Rs. 3,852 against Rs 2,026 in the previous year.

65 The increase in earnings is due to the fact that there was an appreciable profit of about Rs. 1,850 on the sale of the produce of the Weaving and Dyeing Institutes in the Jail here. 43 prisoners were given the benefit of rule 505 chapter 21 of the Jail Manual referring to exemption from ordinary labour in consideration of good conduct and efficiency in work entrusted to them, These prisoners are not at present in the Jail.

(g) Registration.

66. Appendices XIV and XV give details of the registration of documents and fees realized.

67. 1022 documents were presented for registration against 1163, all of which excepting two that were refused registration, were registered. The total value of the documents amounted to Rs. 3,86,883 against Rs. 4,12,313 last year. The whole of the decrease is in mortgages and sale deeds due probably to the season having been a very good one this year. Appeals were presented in this Court for the two documents that were refused registration and they were ordered to be registered.

(h) Municipal Administration.

68. The Municipal Administration of the town of Cambay was carried on as usual by the Municipal Board.

69. The Municipal revenue was spent as usual on conservancy and sanitation in the town, the schools, Hospitals and Dispensaries being maintained by the State.

70. The Municipal income for the Samvat Year 1972 was Rs. 34,514 and the balance at the end of the previous year was Rs. 4,951, making a total of Rs. 39,465, against Rs. 46,855 in the previous year as shown in Appendix XVI. This year a grant of Rs. 16,700 only (against Rs. 24,713 in the previous year) was made from the State as the expenditure on road repairs and other works this year was not likely to be as heavy as it was last year and hence the decrease in the total Municipal income. Two new roads of a length of 3,806 yards were constructed at a cost of Rs. 12,182. The repairs to old roads cost Rs. 3,152. The total of all roads new and old now comes to 11,570 yards against 7,764 in the previous year.

71. The total expenditure amounted to Rs. 35,81[illegible] against Rs. 41,904 last year.

CHAPTER IV.

Production and distribution.

Weather and Crops.

72. Appendix XVII gives details of rainfall for the year under report.

73. The fall registered was 26.87 which is nearly equal to the average fall of 27.72 given for Cambay in the rainfall Data. The average of the falls of the last five years is 31.

	Average per Rainfall Data.	Fall in 1916.
June	3.89	3.64
July	10.72	4.26
August	7.82	9.96
September	4.40	5.64
October	0.71	0.27
Total ...	27.54	23.77

The June fall was fairly normal in quantity but was very unevenly distributed, almost 3 inches out of 3.64 having fallen in three days viz. on 14th 0.31, 16th 1.03 and 17th 1.64. In July it was very short being about one third of the average and caused great anxiety. This defect was in part made up in August and September. The fall in October was negligible. The total of the fall for these five months was 3.77 short of the average but on the whole it ended up fairly well. The outturn of the main crops during the year when compared to that of last year was as under:—

	1916.		1917.	
	Area.	Yield.	Area.	Yield.
Rice ...	247.8	...	2584.16	4 As.
Bajri ...	20862.8	4 As.	17512.14	12 „
Jowar ...	25863.36	1/2 „	16109.16	12 „
Cotton...	10465.39	4/6 „	22081.19	12 „
Wheat...	34060.34	6 „	30082.8	12 „
Tobacco.	1478.33	6 „	2013.27	12 „
Bavto Kodra	5789.38	0 „	5894.33	12 „
Oil Seeds.	4734.19	3/4 „	2031.33	6 „
Others...	305.38	2/4 „	407.10	8 „

74. The numbers of irrigated wells and tanks were 1267 and 39 against 1241 and 39 respectively of the previous year. 26 new wells have been dug by the people at their own expense and hence the increase over the number of wells reported last year.

75. The area of irrigation land, during the year of report was 1233.18 acres as against 3752.13 in the previous year. The decrease is due to the uneven distribution in June and the shortage of the July fall which together proved utterly inadequate for irrigated crops especially rice and these lands had to be resown with dry crops. Then there was an increase in cotton and wheat cultivation.

Wages and Labour.

76. The wages of labour continued high, unskilled labourers earning from four to six annas and skilled persons from 12 annas to one rupee. Labour was scarce.

77. Appendix XVIII gives the prices of food grains during the year of report as compared with the previous year. There was a marked decline throughout in prices except for rice which crop was a very poor one, only 4 As.

Agricultural Stock.

78. Appendix XIX gives details of agricultural stock. The large reduction of the previous year is to some extent made up the supply of grass being ample. No imports were necessary. But while fodder was plentiful, there was a great scarcity of water both for cattle and men especially the former as most of the tanks were almost dry by February last. Temporary (Kutcha) wells were dug in the beds of tanks and streams and there was great hardship all round for want of water.

Trade.

79. The sea borne trade registered at the Port of Cambay during the year of report was valued at Rs. 7,92,422 against Rs. 7,59,792 last year. The increase is chiefly due to the fact that railway sleepers of the value of Rs. 35,300 have been recently brought to this port from Dwarka to be despatched to Katoshana in Baroda territory.

80. The following figures will show at a glance the volume of trade as compared with the previous year.

IMPORTS.

	No. of Vessels.	Capacity in Khandis.	Value of goods Rs.
1916-17	Loaded 441	39,432	6,44,211
Do.	Unloaded 34	876	.....
	Total 475	40,308	6,44,211
1915-16	Loaded 466	40,882	6,04,786
Do.	Unloaded 70	2,552	.....
	Total 536	43,434	6,04,786

EXPORTS.

	No. of Vessels.	Capacity in Khandis.	Value of goods Rs.
1916-17	Loaded 174	9,629	1,48,211
Do.	Unloaded 301	30,892	.....
	Total 475	40,521	1,48,211
1915-16	Loaded 239	14,686	1,55 006
Do.	Unloaded 295	28,627	.....
	Total 534	43,313	1,55,006

On the whole there was a net increase of Rs. 32,630 in the value of goods dealt with.

Manufactures and Industries.

81. The chief manufactures of Cambay are cotton and silk fabrics and various articles of agate and cornelian stone. Cotton yarn of various counts and cloth are manufactured in the Nawab of Cambay Mills. The flour mills continued to work as usual. The oil and rice mills have stopped working since April last.

82. The total number of hand looms in Cambay was 3,120 against 3,044 (not 3004 as mentioned in last year's report). They gave employment to 6,478 persons against 6,222 last year. The trade in agate and cornelian stones which in normal times gives employment to about 1015 persons remained at a stand-still owing to the Great War still going on.

The Dye-house and other Factories.

83. The State dye-house continued to work as usual.

84. The Nawab of Cambay Mills worked throughout the year. During 10 months and 13 days of active work, excluding holidays and the days when the Mill was closed owing to the examination of the boilers by the Steam Boilor Inspector, N. D. Ahmedabad, 3372 bales of yarn, weighing 13,48,800 lbs. were produced against 3,450 bales, weighing 13,80,000 lbs. last year. The Dye-house in this Mill also continued its work and dyed 94 bales of cotton against 415 bales last year. The decrease is due to the scarcity and high prices of dyes owing to the War. Out of 264 looms in the Weaving Department in this Mill, about 250 were working during the year. They used 7,44,160 lbs. of yarn turning out cloth, weighing 8,20,354 lbs. Cloth of the value of Rs. 4,86,482 was sold during the year of report i. e. 1916-17. The average number of hands employed during this year in this Department was 224 per day while in spinning, dyeing &c. the number employed was 800 per day. The Mill has worked at a fair profit. The sanitary. medical and housing arrangements for the Mill labourers was satisfactory.

85. The management of the Mill continued in the hands of the Agents, Secretaries and Treasurers Messrs. Maganlal Hiralal & Co.

86. The Mill has a ginning factory attached to it and its 30 gins out of 34 erected, turned out 1629 bales of cotton against 74 last year when 20 gins were working. This factory worked for 101 days during this year. The three other ginning factories, two at Cambay and one at Tarapur, having 96 gins in all, turned out 5,525 bales of clean cotton against 2,600 of the previous year. The increase is due to the good yield of the cotton crop.

Public Works.

87. Appendix XX gives details of the Public Works executed from the State aand Local funds during the Samvat Year 1972. The item of Rs. 5,348 on buildings includes Rs. 2,838 for the new Dak Bungalow, Rs. 1,369 for a new Treasury Room and Rs. 1,141 for a room for the use of Lawyers in the Courts. Out of the amount of Rs. 39,376 for wells &c. a sum of Rs. 23,164 was spent on the Nawab Jaffer Ali Khan Water Works, Rs. 15,568 were spent on the Kaneval Tank in Valli, Rs. 492 on the Alang Channel, Rs. 212 on the Daloli Vank Talao, Rs. 4,748 were spent on the Neja Road. The Kaneval Tank is nearing completion and will be finished by October next i. e. before the next year begins. It is now only 2 ft. below its full supply level and if the rainfall this season is near normal it will realise its expectations.

Cambay Railway.

88. The total gross earnings of the Tarapur Cambay Railway upto March 1917 amounted to Rs. 70,569-8-9 against Rs. 68,054-1-2 in the previous year while the net receipts excluding working expenses charged by the B. B. & C. I. Railway to the State amounted to Rs. 40,128-5-8 against Rs. 35,230-6-5 in the previous year. The expenditure seems to have mounted up a good deal during the last 4 years as the following figures will show:—

1913	...	...	Rs. 20,819
1914	...	...	,, 28,443
1915	...	...	,, 33,728
1916	...	...	,, 29,795

89. The total amount invested by the State in the construction of the line, including the Runder Siding amounted to Rs. 8,75,948-12-11 according to the B. B. &

C. I. Railway account upto 31st March 1917. The extension of the Siding to the Bunder head has cost the State Rs. 1,83,104-4-3 making the total cost to the State Rs. 10,59,053-1-2.

General condition of the State and the People.

90. Though trade continues depressed owing to the War now going on, the agricultural season has been extraordinarily favourable. Coming as it did after a year of bad rainfall and scarcity it has afforded great relief. The high prices of cotton together with the large yield of the crop almost 12 As. put money in the hands of the ryots as they have not had before for several years. In some villages the crop was so large that they had not enough labour to gather it. Fields lay covered white with cotton droppings from the plants. The labouring classes while they found plenty of work were able to live more cheaply than in the previous year owing to the reduced price of food grains. It has been a season of unprecedented prosperity. Out of a land revenue for the year of Rs. 3,30,412, Rs. 3,24,539 were collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 5,873 to be recovered after the close of this year. Out of this amount Rs. 4,139 have been subsequently recovered i. e. Rs. 1,734 remain to be collected. Remissions amounting to Rs 18,103 were given leaving now a balance of arrears of Rs. 33,553 to be recovered against Rs. 83,235 in the previous year. Out of the outstanding of Rs. 1,07,324 of Tagavi Rs. 4,909 were remitted, Rs. 26,330 were collected and the balance on this account now stands at Rs. 76,085. Taking the 2 items together a sum of Rs. 23,012 has been written off which is equal to about 7 per cent of a year's land revenue and Rs. 80,761 of the arrears under both heads were collected: a very satisfactory result indeed, for which the Vahiwatdar Mr. Maganlal Bhailal deserves credit.

Licenses for keeping arms (guns) continued to be given to agriculturists for crop protection against wild animals. This has given relief to the people.

The Revenue and Rent Paying Classes.

91. There is nothing calling for special remark under this head.

92. The number of transfers of occupancy rights recorded in the Revenue Register during the year was 233 against 219 in the previous year. The land so transferred was assessed at Rs. 3,929 against 3,791 last year. The numbers of mortgages and sales of land were 248 and 140 respectively, of the total value of Rs. 95,163 against 292 and 138 valued at Rs. 96,607 in the previous year.

Out of a total area of 606 acres bearing an assessment of Rs. 2,837, 74 acres of the assessment of Rs. 338 have gone from ryots to sowkars while 93 acres of the assessment of Rs. 427 were transferred to ryots from the sowkar. It is very gratifying to note that less land has passed from the ryots to sowkars while more has come to the ryots from sowkars than in the previous year.

93. The total number of suits about land was 151 of which 134 were for recovery of rent and 17 for ejectment of tenants against 75 and 8 last year.

CHAPTER V.

Revenue and Finance.

94. The comparative statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the Samvat years 1971 and 1972 is embodied in Appendix XXII.

95. The total receipts for the Samvat year 1972 amounted to Rs. 6,49,219 against Rs. 6,68,546 in the previous year, giving a decrease of Rs. 19,327. The total ordinary expenditure (excluding Rs. 45,224 for the railway, wharf and water works) amounted to Rs. 4,77,515 against Rs. 5,10,838 last year, giving a decrease of Rs. 43,323. The closing balance of the Samvat year 1972 was Rs. 7,22,686.

96. In receipts the bulk of the decrease is in the following heads:—

		Rs.
(*a*)	Land Revenue	44,913
(*b*)	Octroi Duties	9,526
(*c*)	Interest on loans	13,499

There are two items (Rs. 37,960 and Rs. 8,449) of increase under the Heads Miscellaneous and Cambay Railway.

97. In expenditure there was a fair decrease (Rs. 5,355) under palace expenses, provisioning Municipality and under Levies due mainly to economy under these heads.

The main item of increase is Public Works (5502).

98. The State has no boats of any kind now except 3 old sailing ones for cargo which no one will buy.

99. The salt and opium arrangements remain unaltered. The arrangement to import liquor from the Godhra Distillery continued as during the last year and has resulted in a profit of Rs. 5,514 over the preceding year. The total consumption of liquor during the Samvat year 1972 was 14,430 gallons against 13,335 gallons in the previous year. The system of paying the shopkeepers in fixed salaries instead of commission was continued during the year.

CHAPTER VI.

Medical Services.

100. There are 6 Medical Institutions in the State, viz: (1) The Kennedy Hospital, (2) The Bibi Bahu Begam Saheb Free Dispensary, (3) The Diamond Jubilee Zenana Hospital, (4) The Tarapur and (5) Varasada Dispensaries, and (6) The Veterinary Dispensary in Cambay. The relief is being given absolutely free i. e. nothing is charged even for medicines. All these institutions are largely made use of.

101. The average daily number of attendance of patients in the Zenana Hospital is 102. This Institution continued to be very popular with women in the town.

102. The details of the medical relief afforded by these institutions, except the Veterinary Dispensary, are shown in Appendix XXIII.

103. The total number of patients treated in these institutions was 48,755 against 48,104 last year.

104. The total number of surgical operations performed during this year was 721 against 880 last year; of these 41 were major and 680 were minor.

105. The two vaccinators continued to work under the supervision of the Chief Medical Officer as usual. One of them worked in the town and the other in the district. 2,198 children against 2,163 were vaccinated during the year.

Veterinary Dispensary.

106. 5,756 animals were treated against 4,638 in the previous year.

107. The total number of surgical operations, performed upon animals, was 401 against 243 of the previous year. Of these 174 were major and 227 minor.

108. All these six institutions were maintained by the State at a total cost of Rs. 13,988 against Rs. 14,559.

Vital Statistics.

109. Appendix XXIV gives details of births and deaths in the State during the Samvat year 1973 of the report.

110. The total number of births, registered during this year was 2,555 against 2,597, giving a birth rate of 34.26 per mille against 34.99 in the preceding year.

111. The total number of deaths, registered during this year was 3,298 against 1,879 in the previous year giving a death rate of 46.91 per mille against 26.63 last year. The birth rate in the City has gone down and the death rate has gone up as compared with the previous year. In rural areas births and deaths both show an increase. The increase in the death rate is mainly due to the outbreak of Cholera in epidemic form during the year. The total number of deaths from this epidemic in the City was 376 and in the villages 138 giving a rate of 13.4 and 3 per 1000 respectively.

CHAPTER VII.

Education.

112. Appendix XXV shows the number and nature of the Educational Institutions maintained by this State, and the expenditure incurred on them, during the Samvat year 1972.

113. The number of schools at the close of the year was 41 against 38 in the previous year. 3,661 children attended these schools against 3,580 in the last year.

114. Of the 9 students, sent up for the Matriculation Examination by the High School, 5 passed while none was sent up for the Departmental School Final Examination as there was no student willing to appear at it. The attendance continues throughout to show an increase and this is largest in the Girls' Schools which is very satisfactory. The expenditure also goes on increasing. The progress is fairly satisfactory.

115. Over and above these State schools, there were during this year, 16 other schools, teaching elementary Gujrati, worked and maintained by private individuals on their own account. 282 students attended these schools. 10 other such schools taught the Kuran-e-Sheriff, Arabic and Urdu with an admixture of Gujrati in some. 13 Parsi children continued to be under the instruction of their priest. 1 Night School for teaching English was opened this year by the Education Society. 40 students attended this School. One night school was opened this year by the Mahomedan Community to teach Persian and Urdu with an admixture of Gujrati.

116. The Vedshala and the Jain Girls' School continued to receive State-aid as usual. The numbers of children, attending these institutions were 23 and 108 respectively. The teaching of English is also introduced this year in the Jain Girls' School.

117. Primary Education in Village Schools is free. No fees are charged to students, attending the Girls' Schools, the Madressa and the Sanskrit School in the Cambay town.

118. No technical scholarship was granted this year. The three vernacular teachers, deputed last year for further study at the Premchand Rychand Male Training College, Ahmedabad, having passed the first year's examination, were continued to be granted the scholarship for their further study in the second year's class. This year three new vernacular teachers were deputed for further study and one for the study of the third year's course. Thus there are seven State vernacular teachers in all studying at the College, in question, with State stipends. The two students in the Female Training College continued to be granted their scholarships for further study at the same College after passing their respective examinations. The two female students deputed last year for studying the course of midwifery and nursery at the Victoria Jubilee Hospital continued also to receive their scholarships. One student of this State in the Government College of Commerce, Bombay also continued to receive his scholarship for further study this year.

119. The evening Drawing Classes were held but they were not regular as during the last year owing to the outbreak of Cholera. No student appeared for the examinations of the Sir J. J. School of Art, Bombay, as the course which was formerly for one year has now been modified to cover a period of two years. No student was sent up for the London Chamber of Commerce Examination.

120. The total cost of education to the State, including scholarships, was Rs. 23,854 against Rs. 24,280 last year. The fee receipts for the Samvat year 1973 were Rs. 3,315-0-0 against Rs. 3,433-12-0 last year.

121. The annual examinations were held as usual both in the English and the Vernacular Schools and the results

were fairly satisfactory as compared with those of the previous year. The result for the English School was 50% of passes and that for the Vernacular Schools was 49.2. The percentage of students to population is 5.03. This year three schools were newly opened, 1 Urdu and 2 vernacular schools. 13 new qualified teachers have been appointed during the year and efforts are being made to secure more of them. With a view to give the advantage of some English instruction it is arranged to give lessons in it every day for 1 hour to the girls of the Main Girls' School. In the Urdu Schools, lessons in English are also being given to the students of the higher standards. Efforts were continued to be made to send up as many teachers as possible for training at the Premchand Rychand Training College. At present there are in all 7 male teachers being trained in the Premchand Rychand Male Training College and 2 women are at the Female Training College both at Ahmedabad.

CHAPTER VIII.

Miscellaneous.

122. The State records have been classified and arranged in proper order. The destruction of useless old records continues.

The Darbar Press.

123. The Darbar Press was worked as usual, and it cost the State Rs. 770 as against Rs. 692 last year. Mr. Jatashanker Ravishanker continued to work throughout the year as the Press Manager since his appointment last

year. The Annual Administration Report is printed in this Press and the Manager has done well in the matter. The Cambay Gazette, issued under the authority of the Darbar, was printed and published from this Press as hitherto.

Library.

124. The Lord Reay Library reading room continued to be kept up as a free institution for the public. The number of subscribers to the Library during the Samvat year 1973 was 40 against 30 last year. The total cost of maintaining the Library was Rs. 661 of which Rs. 535 were contributed by the State and Rs. 126 from subscriptions.

125. The Library continued to be supplied free of charge with some parts of the Bombay Government Gazette, Government printed reports on various subjects and Press Notes as in the past year. The State is thankful for the concession.

Conclusion.

126. The financial position of the State continues very satisfactory. During the year under report £ 6,500 were invested in the English War Loan in London and Rs. 50,000 in Indian War Bonds. The details of our invested capital are as under:—

	Rs. A. P.
English War Loan £ 6,500	91,311-10-11
Indian War Bonds face value... ...	50,000—0—0
Government of India 3½% loan face value...	3,35,000—0—0
-Do- 4% loan face value ...	33,800—0—0
Shares in the Nawab of Cambay Mills face value	2,00,000—0—0

Shares in the State Insurance Co. ...	1,555—0—0
Fixed deposits with the Nawab of Cambay Mills	4,00,000—0—0
Fixed deposits in Bank of Bombay ...	1,00,000—0—0
Fixed deposits in Century Mills ...	1,00,000—0—0
Debentures of the Willingdon Sports Club	10,000—0—0
Total Rs.	13,21,666-10-11

The State Insurance Co. is being wound up. The deposit with the Cambay Mills is an old transaction and is being worked down gradually. It may be as well to point out here that the money with the Morarji Goculdas Spinning & Weaving Co., The Bombay Bank and Cambay Mills at the close of the Samvat year 1972 is not included in the closing balance of Rs 7,22,686 for 1972 shown in Appendix XXII. The money deposited last year with the Morarji Goculdas Spinning & Weaving Co. was transferred to the Bombay Bank and that with the Bombay Bank to the Century Mills which latter is due in November 1917 and will be called in then.

The scheme for the Improvement of the Port was begun late in the season and has had to be put off till October next for reconsideration.

The Suit in the Bombay High Court for the recovery of Rs, 20,000 advanced for a Motor Launch was decided in favour of the State and the money has been recovered.

Rao Saheb Mohanlal Bapulal Rawal, Accountant 3rd Grade, having retired from Government services, has been employed here as Toshakhana Daroga.

The Water Works scheme continues to work satisfactorily and is a great boon to the town.

Mr. Manibhai G. Desai, Sar Nyayadhish, Mr. Jagannath Rege, Superintendent of Police and Mr. Maganlal Bhailal, Vahivatdar deserve special mention for the good work done by them.

The Great War is still going on. The State contributed Rs 5,000 towards H. E. The Lady Willingdon's Women's Brance of the Bombay Presidency War Relief Fund, Rs. 500 towards the Belgian Fund, Rs. 100 towards the Lucky bag Fund raised under the patronage of H. E. the Lady Chelmsford C. I., Rs. 500/ towards the "Lord Kitchner memorial fund" and Rs. 50/ every month from August 1916 towards the East Indies Station Naval Fund. As has already been mentioned the State took up £ 6,500 in the English War Loan and Rs. 50,000 in the Indian War Bonds. Her Highness Sikander Jehan Begam, mother of the minor Nawab gave Rs. 3,000 for the Women's Branch of the War Loan. By the end of June 1917 the people of Cambay had placed:—

Rs. 25,400 ... in the War Loan.
„ 62,900 ... in War Bonds.
„ 62,040 ... in Postal Certificates.

making a grand total of Rs. 1,50,340. For a small State like Cambay this is quite a respectable sum and the people have given good practical proof of their loyalty to His Majesty The King Emperor and the British Raj. We must all continue to hope that the Great Struggle will now be over before very long in the complete victory of the Allies.

CAMBAY,
27th July 1917.

K. R. Bomanji,
Administrator.

APPENDICES.

Appendix I.

NAMES of HIGH OFFICIALS in the CAMBAY STATE, showing changes in personnel during the year 1916-17.

No.	Names of Officers.	Appointment.	Period. From.	Period. To.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Mr. K. R. Bomanji, C. S. [Retired]..	Administrator	1-6-16	31-5-17	Names of officials drawing Rs. 100 and over per month are entered in this Appendix,
2	,, Ziyauddin Mahomed Usman Maulvi, ,, Manibhai Gulabbhai Desai, B. A. L.L. B.....	Ag. Sar Nyayadhish	1-6-16	11-6-16	
		Sar Nyayadhish	12-6-16	31-5-17	
3	,, Jagannath Sagoon Rege	Police Superintendent.	1-6-16	31-5-17	
4	,, Chunilal Shyamji Trivedi High Court Pleader [1909]	Ag. First Class Magistrate..	1-6-16	11-6-16	
	,, Ziyauddin Mahomed Usman Maulvi High Court Pleador [1910]..	First Class Mag'strate	12-6-16	31-5-17	
5	,, Chunilal Vithaldas Desai, High Court Pleader [1903].....	Nyayadhish	1-6-16	31-5-17	
6	,, Dhanjibhai Motabhai Vakil	Chief Medical Officer	1-6-16	31-5-17	
7	,, Hiralal Ranchhoddas L. M. & S....	Bibi Bahubegam Saheb free Dispensary Doctor	1-6-16	31-5-17	
8	Miss Sarah Ghose, F. B. A. Surgeon..	Zanana Hospital Doctor.....	1-6-16	18-3-17	Her Services have been dispensed with and the post is vacant,

9	Mr. A. F. Quadros...	Veterinary Graduate ...	1-6-16	31-5-17	
10	,, M. V. Bhavalker, L. C. E.	State Engineer	1-6-16	30-9-16	
	,, M. S. Kapadia, B.Sc. (London) B.Sc. L. C. E. (Bombay). ...	Do.	1-10-16	28-2-17	The post was vacant til 1-4-17.
	,, J. R. Jussawalla, B. E.	Do.	2-4-17	31-5-17	
11	,, Abanmia Alias Zahiruddin Rahimuddin. ...	Assistant State Engineer, ...	1-6-16	14-9-16	Was retired on pension from 15-9-16.
	,, T. K. Shah	Do.	15-9-16	31-12-16	
	,, M. V. Bhavalker, L. C. E. ...	Do.	15-2-17	31-5-17	
12	Mirza Fatehalikhan	Daroga of Import Duty ...	1-6-16	31-5-17	
13	Mr. Abanmia Alias Zahiruddin Rahimuddin ...	Furja Daroga	1-6-16	15-10-16	The pay of the Furja Daroga was reduced to Rs. 40 since the retirement of Mr. Abanmia & hence his successor's name is not included in this list.
14	,, Chunibhai Manibhai Mehta	Daroga of Treasury ...	1-6-16	12-3-17	Pensioned from 13-3-17
	Rao Saheb Mohanlal Bapulal Rawal..	Do.	13-3-17	31-5-17	
15	Mr. Maganlal Bhailal Desai	Vahivatdar.	1-6-16	31-5-17	
16	,, Chogilal Nagindas Shah, M. A., S. T. C. D.... ...	Head Master, High School...	1-6-16	31-5-17	

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Appendix II.

LIST of LAWS in force in the CAMBAY STATE.

Description.	Whether adapted from British Act.	Introduced during year under report.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4
Indian Penal Code...	Yes.		
Indian Criminal Procedure Code	,,		
Indian Evidence Act	,,		
The New Indian Civil Procedure Code ...	,,		
Abkari Act	,,		
Salt Act	,,		
Opium Act	,,		
District Police Act...	,,		
Gambling Act	,,		
Mamlatdar Courts Act	,,		
Tariff Act	,,		
Post Office Act	,,		
Limitation Act	,,		
Registration Act	,,		
Stamp Act	,,	No.	
Court Fees Act	,,		
Indian Companies Act	,,		
The Explosives Act of 1908	,,		
Cambay Municipal Act	,,		
An Act for the protection of Wild Birds and Animals	,,		
Factory Act	,,		
Insolvency Act	,,		
Rules under the Deccan Agriculturist Relief Act	,,		
Lunatic Asylums Act (XXXVI) of 1858	,,		

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Appendix III.

STATEMENT showing the STRENGTH, COST, and other particulars of the MILITARY FORCE in the CAMBAY STATE, 1916-17.

Arm of Service.	Number of Fighting Officers and men.						Details of Force at the end of the current year.						Total cost on account of pay and allowances of the force including followers.	Remarks.
	At the end of last year.	Recruited this year.	Casualties.			At the end of the current year.	Number of regiments, Battalions or Batteries.	Number of guns.	Number of men.					
			Died.	Invalided.	Discharged, Deserted &c.				European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Cavalry	15	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	1	14	Rs. 13,758	
Artillery	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	9	...	...	...	1		
Infantry	154	30	9	2	27	146	...	...	...	...	...	146		
Total...	170	30	9	2	27	162	...	9	...	...	1	161		

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Appendix IV.

STATEMENT showing the STRENGTH, COST, DISCIPLINE and EDUCATION of the POLICE for the year 1916-17.

Description of Officers.	Number.	Pay of the Grade.	Total Cost.	Punishments.			Rewards.		Education.		Remarks.
				Dismissed.	Fined, degraded or suspended departmentally.	Punished judicially.	By Promotion.	By money.	Number able to read and write.	Number under instruction.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Rs.									
Police Superintendent ...	1	215	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	* Chief-mounted Police officer gets, over and above his pay of Rs. 30 p. m., Rs. 10 as personal allowance & Rs. 20 Horse allowance.
Chief Constables	2	40 to 50	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	
Naib Fouzdars	2	25 to 30	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	
Minor Police Officers (foot)	26	14 to 20	...	...	5	...	2	2	19	...	
Police Constables	109	10 to 12	...	...	41	1	5	...	35	...	
Chief mounted Police Officer.	1	30 *	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Police Sowars	20	12 to 15	...	...	6	...	...	...	15	...	2. The Police Sowars also get Rs. 20 p. m. each as Horse allowance besides their pay from Rs. 12 to 15.
Armed Police Officer ...	1	30	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	
Minor Armed Police Officer.	6 §	14 to 17	...	...	...	...	1	3	6	...	§ Though there are 62 armed police officers, there are only 29 serviceable guns.
Armed Police Constables ...	55	10 to 12	...	...	27	2	8	2	10	...	

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Appendix V.

STATEMENT showing the working of the POLICE in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1916-17.

State.	Number of offences.		Number of accused arrested.		Number of accused sent for trial.		Number of accused convicted.		Number of accused acquitted or discharged.		Percentage of convictions (Cols. 4 & 5).		Percentage convicted of accused sent for trial.		Remarks.
	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	9
Cambay	204	125	269	169	252	165	210	131	40	29	76.90	77.01	83.33	79.39	

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Appendix VI.

STATEMENT showing the VALUE of PROPERTY STOLEN and AMOUNT of RECOVERIES in the CAMBAY STATE during the year 1916–17.

State.	Amount stolen.		Amount recovered.		Precentage of recoveries of Property stolen.		Remarks.
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Cambay	3,501	3,083	1,771	1,951	50.58	63.28	

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APPENDIX VII.

Appendix

STATEMENT showing the number of CRIMES COMMIT-
AWAITING TRIAL in the CAMBAY

Number.	Description of Offences.	Number of Offences.			Number of cases disposed of during past year.	Number of cases disposed of during present year.	Number of persons apprehended.	Number of persons convicted.
		Balance from past year.	Committed during the present year.	Total.				
I	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	A. *Under Indian Penal Code.*							
1	Offences against Public Tranquillity ...	...	19	19	24	19	55	54
2	Offences by or relating to Public Servants.	...	1	1	...	1	1	...
3	Contempts of lawful authority of Public Servants...	...	8	8	8	8	4	2
4	False Evidence and offences against Public Justice	...	4	4	1	4	4	4
5	Offences relating to Weights & Measures.	...	1	1	1	1	1	1
6	Offences affecting the Public Health, Safety, Convenience, Decency or Morals ...	1	8	9	31	9	8	8
7	Offences affecting the Human Body ...							
	[a] Affecting Life	1	1	2	4	2	2	...
	[b] Of Hurt	1	100	101	103	100	297	15
	[c] Of Wrongful Restraint... ...	...	5	5	1	5	8	...
	[d] Of Criminal Force and Assault ...	...	9	9	14	9	25	17
	[e] Of Kid napping and abduction ...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
	[f] Of Rape	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	[g] Of Abortion	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
	[h] Of Unnatural Intercourse ...	...	1	1	...	1	1	1
8	Offences against Property:–							
	[a] Of Theft	...	36	36	48	36	50	46
	[b] Of Extortion	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	[c] Of Robbery and Decoity ...	...	4	4	8	4	7	4
	[d] Of Criminal Misappropriation of Property	...	6	6	6	6	8	4
	[e] Of Criminal Breach of Trust ...	...	5	5	2	3	6	4
	[f] Of the Receiving of Stolen Property.	...	5	5	1	5	5	4
	[g] Of Cheating	..	7	7	9	6	10	7
	[h] Of Mischief	...	16	16	35	16	34	8
	[i] Of Criminal Trespass	...	10	10	4	10	14	4
9	Offences relating to Documents and to Trade or Property marks... ...	...	4	4	1	3	6	5
10	Offences relating to Marriage ...	...	12	12	13	10	21	...
11	Defamation	...	5	5	9	5	13	...
12	Criminal Intimidation, Insult and Annoyance	...	32	32	23	32	65	6
	Total ...	3	294	297	347	290	646	194

VII.

TED, number of CASES DISPOSED OF and CASES STATE, during the year 1916-17.

NUMBER OF PERSONS SENTENCED.									TERMS OF IMPRISONMENT.											
Imprisonment.		Imprisonment and fine.					Number of persons acquitted or discharged.	Number of persons confined being insane.	Number of persons died during or before trial.	Under 1 month.	From 1 to 2 months.	From 2 to 3 months.	From 3 to 6 months.	From 6 to 12 months	From 1 to 2 years.	From 2 to 3 years.	From 3 to 5 years.	Above 5 years.	Life imprisonment.	Capital punishment.	Awaiting trial.	Remarks.
Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Fine only.	Whipping.	Total.																
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
				54		54	1															
							1															
				2		2	2															
	2		1	1		4							2		1							
				1		1																
				8		8	1															
							2															
	3		3	9		15	28			3		1					1					2
							8															
	3		3	10		17	18			1		2	1									
					1	1																
							3	1		1	2	3	4	4	4							
2	21		5	16	2	46																
							3								4							
	4					4																
				4			4			2	1											
	4					4							1	3								
	3		1	1			1				1	1		1								
	5			2		7	1															2
				8		8	26						1		1	1						
	2		1	1		4	10															
	3	2				5				2						3						1
							14															3
							13															
				6		6	50															
240	2	14	123	4	194	455	1		23	4	11	5	8	14	1	1					15	

	Total	...	3	294	297	347	29	646	194	
	B *Offences against other laws.*									
13	Abkari Act. ...	...	...	...	4	4	2	4	7	7
14	Cattle Trespass Act	...	...	...	2	2	2	2	6	5
15	Gambling Act ...	...	...	...	7	7	7	2	32	23
16	District Police Act...	...	...	...	73	73	47	73	108	105
17	Arms Act	...	...	...	2	2	3	3	3	3
18	Prisons Act ...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	1
19	Customs Act ...	...	...	...	1	1	2	1	1	1
20	Factory Act ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
	Total	...	...	97	97	65	96	161	154	
	Grand Total	...	3	391	394	412	386	810	348	

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VII—*Concluded.*

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Appendix VIII.

STATEMENT showing the NUMBERS of OFFENCES reported and dealt with by the various Courts in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1916-17

Name of Court.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons dealt with.									Persons disposed of.						Remarks
		Brought to trial in 1917.							Total.								
		Last year.	Present year.	Remaining at the end of last year.	Arrested by Police.	Upon warrant.	On Summons.	Voluntarily.	Arrested in presence of the Magistrate.	Last year.	Present year.	Discharged.	Acquitted and Compounded.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped or transferred.	Persons remaining at the end of the year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Magistrate 1st Class	410	389	1	170	6	629	...	...	807	805	37	403	336	‡13	...	17	‡ As the 13 accused in the 1st C. Magistrate Court, 1 in the Magistrate Nyayadhish Court and, 2 of the last years balance in Sessions Court, whose cases have been disposed of by the Sessions Court, are included in cols. 13 & 14, the total of col. 15 is left blank.
Do. Nyayadhish.	3	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	4	2	...	...	1	‡ 1	...	...	
Sessions Court. ...	...	...	2‡	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	‡ 5	‡ 11	...	...	...	
Total ...	413	391	3	170	8	629	...	...	811	807	37	408	348	...	...	17	

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Appendix IX.

STATEMENT showing the RESULTS of APPEALS against decisions passed by the CRIMINAL COURTS in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1916-17.

Tribunal.	Number of applications.	Number of persons and cases.																	Remarks.
		Applications rejected.		Sentences.						Proceedings quashed.		Referred.		Further inquiry &c. ordered.		Pending.			
				Confirmed.		Modified.		Reversed.											
		Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18		19
Harbour Court ...	22	2	2	5	5	7	7	3	3	...	...	...	...	9	4	3	1		
Sessions Court ...	16	1	1	12	12	1	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Total ...	38	3	3	17	17	8	8	5	5	...	...	...	...	9	4	3	1		

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Appendix

CIVIL WORK—Nature and value of ORIGINAL

Number.	Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during the year, received by transfer or on demand.		Total.		Disposed of during the year.		Closing balance.	
		Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	Nyayadhish Court	82	115	298	372	380	487	265	363	115	124
2	Sar Nyayadhish (Small Causes Court) ...	48	26	457	642	505	668	479	662	26	6
3	„ above Rs. 5,000	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	...
4	Sardars' Court...	2	1	...	...	2	1	1	1	1	...
	Total ...	133	143	755	1,014	888	1,157	745	1,027	143	130

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X.

SUITS filed and disposed of during the year 1916–17.

SUITS FILED DURING THE PRESENT YEAR.										SUITS DISPOSED OF DURING THE PRESENT YEAR.						
Value.	Suits re-landed property.	Suits for money transactions.	Suits for other rights.	No. of suits under Rs. 50.	No. of suits above Rs. 50 and under Rs. 100.	No. of suits above Rs. 100 and under Rs. 500.	No. of suits above Rs. 500 and under Rs. 1,000.	No. of suits above Rs. 1,000 and under Rs. 5,000.	Above Rs. 5,000.	Exparte.	Admitted and Compromised.	Struck off the file.	Otherwise disposed of.	Value.	Average duration.	REMARKS.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Rs.									Unvaluable.					Rs.		
67,891	31	215	126	87	43	170	15	10	47	38	146	2	177	56,581	34.13	
11,276	...	642	.....	554	88	.....	.....	.....	...	188	322	31	121	14,667	24.6	
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	7,730	820	
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	800	800	
79,167	31	857	126	641	131	170	15	10	47	226	468	33	300	79726	442.18	

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Appendix XI.

CIVIL WORK—RESULTS of APPLICATIONS for execution of decrees.

Number	Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Value of opening balance for present year.	Applications, brought to the register.			Total.			Disposed of.			Closing balance.			Nature of applications pending disposal at the close of the year 1916-17.			Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Under 6 months.	Under 12 months.	Above 12 months.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
				Rs.			Rs.			Rs.			Rs.			Rs.				
1	Nyayadhish Court..	174	146	64,852	250	449	70,295	424	595	1,35,147	278	504	91,862	146	91	43,285	54	14	23	
2	Sar Nyayadhish Court.	57	69	1,501	292	430	11,186	349	499	12,687	280	483	12,164	69	16	523	14	...	2	
	Total.....	231	215	66,353	542	879	81,481	773	1,094	147,834	558	987	104,026	215	107	43,808	68	14	25	

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Appendix XII.

CIVIL WORK—Value and Results of Appeals in CIVIL SUITS.

Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during.		Total.		Disposed of during.		Closing balance.		Value of appeals filed during.		How Disposed of.										Average duration.		Remarks.
													Decisions confirmed.		Decisions reversed.		Decisions amended.		Cases remanded for re-trial.		Cases Compromised and otherwise disposed of.				
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
											Rs.	Rs.													
Sar Nyayadhish Court First appeals.	6	12	52	21	58	33	46	33	12	...	10,436	2,537	26	13	5	11	12	8	1	...	2	1	134.7	72.5	
Hazur Court Second appeals.	5	...	13	15	18	15	18	14	...	1	2,965	9,138	16	11	1	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	40.6	39.24	
Hazur Court First appeals.	2	1	1	2	3	3	2	3	1	...	645	8,453	2	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	225	30.3	
Total ...	13	13	66	38	79	51	66	50	13	1	20,046	20,128	44	26	6	12	13	10	1	1	2	1	133.4	47.34	

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Appendix XIII.

STATEMENT showing the number of persons confined in the JAILS and LOCK-UPS in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1916-17.

Station.	Number of prisons.	Number of prisoners.				Daily average in Jail.		Number of prisoners remaining at the end of the year.	Total cost of Jail and prisoners.	Average period of accused under trial.	Remarks showing mortality among convicts in Jail.
		Remaining from last year.	Admitted during the year.	Total.		Past year.	Present year.				
				Past year.	Present year.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Cambay	1	66	94	196	160	60.3	56.2	54	Rs. 5,657	4.8	Two prisoners died in the prison from natural causes.

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Appendix XIV.

REGISTRATION of DOCUMENTS in the CAMBAY STATE.

Name of State.	Nature of documents presented.												Documents registered.		Value of Documents registered.		Documents of which registry has been refused.		Documents remaining unregistered pending enquiry at the close of the year.		Remarks.
	Documents presented for registration.		Mortgages.		Sale deeds.		Wills.		Money bonds.		Miscellaneous.										
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Cambay.	1163	1,022	564	444	520	487	26	41	...	...	53	50	1,162	1,020	412813	386883	1	2	...	...	

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Appendix XV.

STATEMENT showing the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE on account of REGISTRATION during the year 1916-17.

Description.	Past year.			Present year.			Remarks.
	Number of deeds.	Value of property.	Fees realized.	Number of deeds.	Value of property.	Fees realized.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
Mortgages	564	130758-13-6	2096—4-0	444	103732-10-0	1668—8-0	
Sale deeds	520	181614-12-0	5247-12-0	487	157980—3-2	4606—8-0	
Wills	26	69177—2-6	222—0-0	41	110623-13-6	426—0-0	
Miscellaneous	53	30762—7-2	838—8-0	50	14546-10-6	380-12-0	
Total ...	1163	412313—3-2	8404—8-0	1022	386883—5-2	7081-12-0	
Deduct Expenditure ...	.....	.....	912—0-0	.....	.....	637—0-0	
Net profit ...	.....	.....	7492—8-0	.....	.....	6444-12-0	

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Appendix XVI.

RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the MUNICIPALITY in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1916-17.

Name.	Opening balance.	Receipts during the year.		Total in current year.	Expenditure during the year.		Closing balance.	Remarks.
		Past.	Present.		Past.	Present.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	
Cambay Municipality ...	4,651	43,940	34,514	83,405	41,904	35,818	3,647-0-0	

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Appendix XVII.

STATEMENT of RAINFALL in the CAMBAY STATE,

State.	June, 1916.		July, 1916.		August, 1916.		September, 1916.		October, 1916.		November, 1916.		December, 1916.		January, 1917.		February, 1917.		March, 1917.		April, 1917.		May, 1917.		Total.		Total of previous year.		Average of past 5 years.		Remarks.
	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	
1	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		9		10		11		12		13		14		15		16		17
Cambay, ...	3	64	4	26	9	96	5	64	0	27	...		...		...		0	2	...		0	69	2	89	26	87	14	19	31	0	

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Appendix XVIII.

STATEMENT as to prices of STAPLE FOOD GRAINS.

State.	Articles.	During May 1916 (past year.)	During May 1917 (present year.)	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
	Bajri	2 5 0	1 8 0 to 1 12 0	
	Kodra	1 8 0	1 4 0	
	Wheat-red	2 6 6	2 1 6	
	Do. white	2 11 0	2 6 9	
Cambay.	Rice	3 4 0 to 4 4 0	3 4 0 to 5 0 0	
	Dal Tuvar	3 10 0	3 0 0 to 3 8 0	
	Muth	2 1 0	1 12 0	
	Gram	... ...	1 13 0 to 2 2 0	

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Appendix XIX.

AGRICULTURAL STOCK in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1916-17.

District.	Year.	Cattle.					Horses.				Asses.	Sheep and Goats.	Ploughs.		Carts.		Remarks.
				Buffaloes.													
		Bullocks.	Cows.	Male.	Female.	Totals	Horses.	Mares.	Colts and Fillies.	Total.			With two Bullocks.	With four Bullocks	Riding.	Load carrying.	
		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	2																
Cambay City ...	1916-17	1072	435	144	1170	2821	163	8	...	171	522	998	186	...	327	218	
Do. District ...	Do.	12873	8794	1995	15234	38896	57	120	46	223	370	6649	4641	7	147	2370	
Total ...	...	13945	9229	2139	16404	41717	220	128	46	394	892	7647	4827	7	474	2588	
													4858		3091		
1915-16...	...	...	...	...	...	39257	...	...	...	383	...	...					

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Appendix XX.

EXPENDITURE of PUBLIC WORKS, during the year 1916-17.

State.	Description of works.	State funds.			Local funds.			Total.
		Original.	Repairs.	Total.	Original.	Repairs.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Cambay ...	Buildings	5348	17573	22921	...	420	420	23341
	Wells, Tanks, and Water works ...	39376	53	39429	1037	907	1944	41373
	Roads	4748	...	4748	3917	989	4906	9654
	Reclamation	...	3	3	...	...	...	3
	Gardens	...	6207	6207	...	...	...	6207
	Establishment	7150	...	7150	2452	...	2452	9602
	Miscellaneous	2973	...	2973	504	...	504	3477
	Total ...	59595	23836	83431	7910	2316	10226	96657

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Appendix XXI.

STATEMENT showing the EXCISE SHOPS and EXCISE REVENUE of the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1916-17.

Name of State.	Country Spirit.		Opium.		Ganja.		Toddy.		Total.		Remarks.
	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Cambay	12	Rs. 52672	34	Rs. 31848	4	Rs. 1847	2	Rs. 1460	52	Rs. 87827	

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APPENDIX XXII.

Appendix

No. I—RECEIPTS.

No.	Items.	Samvat year 1971 ended 7th November 1915.	Samvat year 1972 ended 31st October 1916.	Increase.	Decrease.
I	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Land Revenue and Public Works Department	331963	270886 16719	...	44913
2	Law and Justice	13393	11866	...	1527
3	Stamps	10786	9342	...	1444
4	Registration	8844	8353	...	491
5	Customs...	6382	8763	2381	...
6	Salt Compensation & Nazarana.	40155	40155	...	...
7	Abkari including Bhang, Ganja and Poisonous Substances ...	53242	56064	2822	...
8	Opium	32632	31848	...	784
9	Cattle Pounds, Fees and Fines ...	3452	2916	...	536
10	Octroi Duties	46176	36650	...	9526
11	Education and Library... ...	3566	3491	...	75
12	Jail	1026	2882	1856	...
13	Interest on Loans	66529	53030	...	13499
14	Miscellaneous	22577	60537	37960	...
15	Cambay Railway	26818	35267	8449	...
	Total Receipts ...	668546	649219	53468	72795
	Deposits and Advances... ...	86455	93113	6658	...
	Excluded Funds	41658	87680	46022	...
	Total ...	796659	830012	106148	72795
	Huzur Khangi G. P. Notes taken to the State accounts	...	143800	143800	...
	Total ...	796659	973812	249948	72795
	Opening Balance ...	581513	520002	...	61511
	Grand Total ...	1378172	1493814	249948	134306

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No. II—EXPENDITURE.

No.	Items.	Samvat year 1971 ended 7th November 1915.	Samvat year 1972 ended 31st October 1916.	Increase.	Decrease.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Palace Expenses and allowances Paid to H. H.'s relatives ...	99078	93723	...	5355
2	Provisioning Department or Modikhana & Grass Ganji ...	62972	57376	...	5596
3	Parvarshis	8468	7144	...	1324
4	Pensions...	7679	7957	278	...
5	Charities & Religious Grants ...	8095	7985	...	110
6	Hakdars' allowances	4097	4158	61	...
7	Levies	18738	13758	...	4980
8	Police	41212	40887	...	325
9	Public Works Department ...	54825	60327	5502	...
10	Municipality	24714	16700	...	8014
11	General Administration... ...	32796	29322	...	3474
12	Village Officers and Ravanias ...	25461	23321	...	2140
13	Abkari	13219	13304	85	...
14	Opium	9242	9575	333	...
15	Registration	912	637	...	275
16	Octroi Duty Establishment ...	4883	4177	...	706
17	Customs and Ferries	5963	4230	...	1733
18	Law and Justice	14082	12720	...	1362
19	Jail	5235	5657	422	...
20	Medical Charges including Veterinary and Vaccination Departments	14559	13988	...	571
21	Education and Library	21034	19008	...	2026
22	Printing and Stationery	1513	1570	57	...
23	Tribute paid to the British Government	21924	21924	...	...
24	Interest on Debts	9315	7444	...	1871
25	Miscellaneous	822	623	...	199
26	Cambay Railway, Wharf and Water Works	132233	45224	...	87009
	Total Expenditure ...	643071	522759	6788	127070
	Deposits and Advances ...	155071	163173	8102	...
	Excluded Funds	60028	85216	25188	...
	Total payments ...	858170	771128	40028	127070
	Closing Balance ...	520002	722686	202684	...
	Grand Total ...	1378172	1493814	242712	127070

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Appendix XXIII.

STATEMENT of MEDICAL RELIEF afforded in the CAMBAY STATE during the year 1916-17.

Dispensary.	Number of patients treated.		Results of Indoor-patients.				Expenditure	Daily average.	Remarks.
	Out-door	In-door.	Discharged.	Absented	Died.	Remaining under treatment.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
							Rs. A. P.		
Kennedy Hospital	18682	212	194	12	3	3	5922-12- 9	198.6	
Bibi Bahu Begam Saheb's Free Dispensary ...	14149	...	...	...	...	...	3927- 3- 2	140.2	
Zenana Hospital	5909	...	...	...	...	...	1707-14- 0	102	
Tarapur Dispensary ...	4796	...	...	...	...	...	793- 1- 0	84.2	
Varasada Do.	5007	...	...	...	...	...	581-12-11	55.9	
Total ...	48543	212	194	12	3	3	12932-11-10	580.9	

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Appendix XXIV.

VITAL STATISTICS of the CAMBAY STATE for the year 1916-17.

Name.	Population.	Births.				Deaths.				Ratio per 1000 of population.				Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.	Past year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.	Births.		Deaths.		
										Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Cambay City... ...	28134	918	851	...	67	847	1511	664	...	32.27	30.25	30.10	53.7	
Do, District ...	44522	1679	1704	25	...	1032	1787	755	...	37.71	38.27	23.17	40.13	
Total ...	72656	2597	2555	25	67	1879	3298	1419	...	34.99	34.26	26.63	46.91	

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Appendix XXV.

PARTICULARS as to the SCHOOLS MAINTAINED by the CAMBAY STATE, for the year 1916-17.

Number of Schools.		Description of Schools.	Number of pupils on Roll on 31st May.		Daily average attendance.		Expenditure.			Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	High School.	Secondary	Primary.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
							Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	1	Cambay High School...	221	246	224	233	7212	...	...	
1	1	Tarapur A. D. M. English School ...	21	19	24.5	30.4	...	371	.....	
26	28	Vernacular Schools in the City and in the District	2494	2544	1809.1	1811.4	...	...	10687	
3	3	Urdu (Madressa) ...	246	188	141.2	139.2	...	...	1155	
1	1	Sanskrit Shala ...	30	23	16.3	13.1	...	...	180	
1	1	Antyaja Shala ...	18	30	13.8	15.4	...	...	67	
33	35	Total ...	3030	3050	2228.9	2242.5	7212	371	12089	
5	6	Girls' Schools... ...	550	611	355.7	434.1	...	...	3397	
...	....	Grand Total ...	3580	3661	2584.6	2676.6	7212	371	15486	

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BUDGET ESTIMATE of the CAMBAY STATE, for Samvat year 1973.

RECEIPTS.

Items.	Amount.
1	2
	Rs.
1 Land Revenue... ...	318510
2 Law and Justice ...	14495
3 Stamps...	9000
4 Registration	8000
5 Customs	7080
6 Salt Compensation and Nazarana	40305
7 Abkari including Bhang, Ganja and Poisonous Substances	51535
8 Opium	32000
9 Octroi, Cotton and Import Duties	50000
10 Education and Library.	4135
11 Jail	2045
12 Interest on Loans ...	65000
13 Cambay Railway ...	35000
14 Police and Levies ...	145
15 Medical...	45
16 Printing Press	1000
17 P. W. Department ...	5726
18 Miscellaneous	1265
Total Receipts...	645286
Deposits and Advances...	385000
Excluded Fund ...	100921
Total ...	1131207
Opening Balance ...	965516
Grand Total...	2096723

EXPENDITURE.

Items.	Amount.
3	4
	Rs.
1 Darbar Expenses:—	
A. For H. H. the Nawab and H. H. Sikendar Jahan Begam ...	32800
B. Allowances paid to the Nawab's relatives and dependents	112897
C. Provision Department.	60562
D. Miscellaneous ...	18305
2 Pensions	11020
3 Parvarshis	8871
4 Charities or Religious grants	11647
5 Hakdars' allowances ...	4553
6 Police	55391
7 Levies	18044
8 P. W. Department ...	204830
9 Grant-in-aid	27000
10 General Administration.	25673
11 Abkari	13672
12 Opium	12425
13 Registration	663
14 Octroi Duty Establishment	5139
15 Customs & Portcharges.	3255
16 Law and Justice ...	19034
17 Jail	6787
18 Medical charges including Veterinary and Vaccination Departments	16954
19 Education and Library...	29141
20 Printing & Stationery...	2205
21 Tribute to the British Government	21924
22 Interest on Debts ...	8000
23 Land Revenue	64232
24 Cambay Railway ...	10518
25 Miscellaneous	1125
26 Extraordinary Expenses.	20000
Total ...	829657
Deposits and Advances...	95000
Excluded Funds...	138684
Total ...	1063341
Closing Balance...	1033382
Grand Total ...	2096723

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CHAPTER I.—General and Political.

There is no change in the area, 350 square miles, and population which according to the census of 1911 is 72,656. The gross revenue on the average of the last five years is Rs. 6,89,311 while the land revenue alone for the year under report is Rs. 3,50,859.

2. The general statistics given in this report relate to the period from 1st June 1917 to 31st May 1918; but the financial figures cover the period from 1st November 1916 to 31st October 1917.

3. His Highness Nazamuddaulah Mumtaz-ul-Mulk Momin-khan Bahadur Dilaverjang Nawab Hussein Yavar Khan Bahadur is a Mogal of the Shiah faith; he being a Minor, the State continued to be under British Administration. The Nawab is now 7 years old. A European Governess continues to look after him and take him about. He is being taught the Koran and Urdu by a Mahomedan teacher and he has already picked up some English from his Governess. He is in very good health. The question of his future education will soon require careful consideration.

Tribute.

4. The State pays an annual tribute of Rs. 21,924-4-0 to the British Government.

The King Emperor's Birth-Day.

5. The 4th of June being the birth-day of His Imperial Majesty the King-Emperor was observed quietly in conformity with the declared wishes of His Majesty.

Visits of Political Officers.

6. Mr. Ghosal, C. I. E., I. C. S., late Political Agent, Kaira accompanied by Mr. Ker, I. C. S., the present Political Agent, paid an informal visit to Cambay in the month of April 1918.

Changes in Personnel.

7. Mr. K. R. Bomanji held the office of the Administrator upto the 22nd April 1918 on which date he proceeded on leave preparatory to retirement. Mr. V. K. Namjoshi has been holding charge of the office since that date. Mr. Chunilal Vithaldas Desai (High Court Pleader) Nyayadhish, resigned being succeeded by Mr. Chunilal Shyamji Trivedi (High Court Pleader) on the 23rd June 1917. Mr. Trivedi delivered over charge of the office of Public Prosecutor to Mr. Ambalal U. Joshi, High Court Pleader, on the same date. The post of Lady Doctor was vacant upto 13th January 1918. Miss Roberts was appointed to it on the 14th January 1918. She resigned the post on the 26th March following and the post has been vacant since then. Every effort is being made to fill it up and it is expected it will be filled up very soon. Mr. M. V. Bhavalker continued to work as Assistant Engineer upto 31st July 1917, when his services were dispensed with and the place remained vacant for a month. Mr. D. N. Limaye, B. Sc., B. E., was appointed Assistant Engineer from the 1st September. Rao Saheb M. B. Rawal Treasury Officer was on 1 month's leave without

pay from the 1st June 1917 and during his absence Mr. Chunibhai Manibhai Mehta (Retired Treasury Officer) held charge of the office.

CHAPTER II—Administration of Land

8. The Cambay State consists of 88 villages besides the town of Cambay. Five of these are Inami or alienated and two are Jivai *i. e.* held on life tenure. Of the latter, one, Vasna, is given for the maintenance of a cousin of His Highness the Nawab, Mirza Mahomed Kulikhan, and the other, Vainaj, to another cousin Mirza Fidaudinkhan. The survey settlement was introduced in 1893; it will expire in 1923.

Jamabandi.

9. The following comparative statement gives the results of the Jamabandi settlement for the year under report as well as for the previous year:—

Year.	Fixed land revenue.	Miscellaneous land revenue.	Total.
Land Revenue for Samvat 1973 (1st November 1916 to 31st October 1917)...	Rs. 2, 92, 344	Rs. 56,046	Rs. 3,48,390
Land Revenue for Samvat 1974 (1st November 1917 to 31st May 1918) ...	2, 99, 188	51,671	3,50,859
Decrease...	...	4,375	...
Increase...	6,844	...	2,469

10. The increase in Fixed Land Revenue is chiefly due to waste lands, bearing an assessment of Rs. 6544, having been taken up during the year.

Revenue Collection.

11. The Land Revenue recoverable for the year 1917-18 was Rs. 3,50,859 of which Rs. 3,38,659 or nearly 97% was recovered upto 31st May 1918, leaving a balance of Rs. 12,200. Out of this balance Rs. 1,774 have been recovered subsequently and a balance of Rs. 10,426 remains to be collected.

Licenses for guns continued to be given to agriculturists during the year for protection of crops from wild animals. The Universal Ant Exterminator was used for fumigating rat-holes. Its efficacy was occasionally brought to the notice of the public; but people did not take to it readily owing to religious scruples.

Outstanding Balance.

12. The total balance outstanding on the 1st of June 1917 was Rs. 39,427. Out of these arrears, Rs. 7,489 were recovered during the year under report and Rs. 11,220 were written off, leaving a balance of Rs. 20,718 to be recovered. Of the amount written off, Rs. 8,373 were remitted under the remission and suspension rules of the State and Rs. 2,847 were written off as irrecoverable.

Waste land.

13. The total area of waste land during the year was 17,795 acres against 36,315 in the previous year. 11490 acres of these are cultivable and the rest uncultivable. Of this cultivable area, about 11,176 acres remain uncultivated owing to want of cultivators. Outsiders are being induced

to take up this land on easy terms and if the land which has already been given out brings profit to the occupants, this area will also be taken up soon. The total area held on the restricted tenure now comes to 1812 acres.

Tagavi Advances.

14. The amount of Tagavi outstanding at the beginning of the year was Rs. 76,085. To this amount Rs. 626 were added as interest. Thus the total stood at Rs. 76,711. During the year ending 31st October 1917, Rs. 2,104 were advanced as Tagavi. Out of the total amount of Rs. 78,815, Rs. 10,154 were recovered and Rs. 17,104 were remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 51,557 at the end of May 1918. The amount remitted was in respect of Tagavi; given out more than a dozen years ago in a year of scarcity.

Local Fund.

15. The Local Fund cess is levied on the Land Revenue assessment at the rate of half an anna in the rupee. Rs. 15,882 were due during the year under report, of which Rs. 14,818 were recovered and Rs. 15 were remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 1049 which, it is hoped, will shortly be recovered. It is clear that the total Local Fund Cess is entirely inadequate for carrying out the usual Local Fund Works not to say anything of the cost of education which ought to be met in part at least from the Cess. This question is being separately considered.

CHAPTER III—Protection.

Legislation.

16. The State has adopted some of the important British Indian Acts in force in the Bombay Presidency.

From the 1st July 1917, the Official Secrets Act was introduced in this State. The State has its own Limitation, Registration, Stamp, and Court Fees and Municipal Acts. The boilers of all the factories in the State continued to be examined by the Government Inspector of Steam Boilers, N. D., Ahmedabad, in accordance with the arrangement sanctioned by Government.

17. The Laws in force in this State are shown in Appendix II. This list requires considerable additions and steps are being taken to see what other Acts should be enforced in the State.

(*a*) Military Force.

18. The State does not maintain any regular Military Force; but what remains of the old irregular levies is shown in Appendix III.

19. The cavalry consists of His Highness The Nawab's Body Guard, 8 in number and is armed with swords only. The remaining 7 continue as flag bearers. The Artillery comprises men, kept for firing cannon as salutes on ceremonial occasions and festivals. There are nine guns at present in a serviceable condition. The Infantry (147 men) consisted of the Biraderi force. It is divided into two sections—(i) the Tehnatis (Personal servants to the Darbar relatives) under His Highness' cousin Mirza Mahomed Kulikhan and (ii) Watch-men of the gates of the town. These latter are under the Superintendent of Police. The older members of the force are being replaced by young men as they become available.

20. This irregular force was maintained at a cost of Rs. 15,031, as against Rs. 13,758 in the previous year.

There is really no increase as the previous year's figures were only for 11 months.

(*b*) Police.

21. The total strength of the Police Force, including Armed men, was 221 (vide Appendix IV). The practice of supplying two sowars to the Political Agent having been discontinued, there was a reduction in the number of Sowars. The following are the details:—

	Sanctioned Number.	Vacancies.
Armed Men	...62... ...	...14
Sowars	...19... ...	... 1
Foot Police	...140... ...	...23
	221	—38=183

The system of regular patrols by the Sowars continued and it has checked crime to some extent. With a view to get recruits for the Police, the system of granting local allowances of Rs. 2/- per head was introduced during the year.

22. The maintenance of this Force cost the State Rs. 43,922 against Rs. 40,887 in the previous year. As explained in the previous year's report, that year consisted of 11 months only. The ratio of police to population and area per square mile remained the same *i. e.* .3 per cent and .63 respectively.

Working of the Police.

23. The comparative results of the working of the Police during the year under report and in the previous year are shown in Appendix V. Of 96 cases reported to

the Police against 125 last year, 51 were committed for trial, 9 were struck off the register under magisterial orders and 36 remained undetected at the end of the year. There was a considerable decrease in reported crime which was probably due to the prosperity of the season. Offences under the Arms Act and Gambling Act were also directed to be taken direct to the Magistracy. The number of accused persons decreased by 91 or about 53 per cent.

24. Of the 51 cases, committed for trial 41 ended in conviction, 3 were compounded, 5 resulted in acquittals and 2 remained undisposed of at the end of the year.

25. Of the 78 persons, arrested by the Police, 77 were sent up for trial. Of the latter, 57 were convicted and 8 were acquitted; the cases of 10 men were compounded and those of 2 were pending at the end of the year.

26. The percentage (73. 0) of convictions to arrests and that (74. 0) of convictions to committals show small variations; but the results are good on the whole.

27. Appendix VI gives the comparative values of property stolen and recovered during the year, as compared with the previous year. The percentage of recovery shows a considerable decrease over the previous year; while the value of property stolen increased by nearly 25 per cent. The work of the department was on the whole satisfactory. The Superintendent of Police continued to exert himself to improve the efficiency of the Department.

28. The police force was regularly drilled as usual,

Village Police.

29. The total strength of the village Police, excluding the Mukhis and Deputy Mukhis, during the year was 385 against 381 in the preceding year. It was maintained at a cost of Rs. 18,439 in cash and Rs. 415 in land. The increase (Rs. 96) over the previous year is due to the new appointments of 2 Rawanias at Rs. 4/- per month each, at Ranolipura (Harian). There are 84 Mukhis and 79 Deputy Mukhis.

(c) Criminal Justice.

30. The details of the working of the Criminal Courts in the State are shown in Appendices VII and VIII.

31. 384 cases, including 8 pending at the close of the preceding year, came up for disposal against 394 last year. Of these 379 were disposed of, leaving a balance of 5 at the close of the year.

32. The total number of persons involved in these cases was 818, including 17 awaiting trial at the end of the last year. The cases of 813 of these were disposed of, leaving 5 awaiting trial at the end of the year.

33. Of these 813 men, 53 were discharged, 202 were convicted and 558 were acquitted either after trial or composition.

34. Of those convicted, 35 were sentenced to imprisonment only, 18 to imprisonment with fine, 146 to fine only, 2 to whipping and 1 to capital punishment.

35. The average duration of cases disposed of by the Magistrate during the year was 3.23 days against 3.18 last year.

The Sessions or Sar Nyayadhish Court.

36. All the 6 cases committed to the Court of Session during the year, against 12 in the previous year, were disposed of. Out of 8 persons involved in these cases, 4 were convicted and 4 acquitted.

37. The average duration of these cases was 15.3 days against 17 last year.

38. Appendix IX shows the working of the Appellate Courts in Criminal cases.

39. 35 appeals were filed during the year of report against 38 in the previous year. All of these were disposed of. One was rejected, the decision of the lower courts was confirmed in 16, modified in 9, reversed in 5 and 4 were remanded for retrial.

40. The average duration of these appeals was 11 days against 14.3 in the previous year.

(*d*) Civil Justice.

41. Appendix X gives details of the Civil Suits filed in and disposed of by the three Civil Courts, *viz.* the Nyayadhish, the Sar Nyayadhish and Sardars' Courts.

42. 1,196 cases, including 130 pending at the close of the previous year, came up for disposal, against 1,157 during that year. Of the 1,196 cases 1,162 were disposed of against 1,027 in the previous year, leaving a balance of 34.

43. The value of the suits filed during the year was Rs. 84,235 against Rs. 79,167 in the previous year.

44. The average duration of these suits was 38 days against 442.18 last year.

Sardars' Court.

45. There was no case during the year for disposal by this court.

Revenue Court.

46. 44 possessory suits came up for disposal against 51 in the previous year. 43 suits were disposed of and 1 remained pending. 37 cases were tried and 6 were struck off the file. 25 of these cases were examined in the Administrator's office. The work was generally satisfactory.

47. There were 51 rent suits for disposal against 83 in the previous year. 50 of them were disposed of and 1 remained pending. Of the 51 rent suits, 41 were examined in the Administrator's office. The work done appeared to be satisfactory.

Village Panchayats.

48. The number of village panchayats (85) remained the same as during the previous year.

49. They disposed of all the 286 petty criminal cases brought before them against 348 last year.

50. 498 civil cases, including 49 from the preceding year came up for disposal before them against 657 in that year. They amicably settled 187 cases and certified 257 as fit for trial in the Civil Courts, leaving 54 undisposed of at the close of the year. The panchayat system is found to work well here. It relieves the Courts of a good deal of petty work and saves the people much expense of litigation and above all much of 'the law's delay'.

Execution of Decrees.

51. Appendix XI gives details regarding the execution of decrees in the Civil Courts. Some improvement in disposal is noticeable, only one pending application being over six months old.

52. 697 fresh applications were made which, with 107, the opening balance, made up a total of 804. 733 of these were disposed of, leaving a closing balance of 71.

Civil Appeals.

53. Appendix XII gives details of the Civil Appeals filed and disposed of during the year.

54. 97 appeals, 88 first and 9 second, were due for disposal against 51 last year. Of these 84 first and 7 second appeals were disposed of, leaving a balance of 4 first and 2 second appeals.

55. As to the first appeals disposed of, the decision of the lower court was confirmed in 38, reversed in 16 and amended in 22; 7 cases were remanded for retrial and 1 case was compromised.

56. In the second appeals, the decision of the lower court was confirmed in 4, reversed in 1, amended in 1 and 1 case was compromised.

57. The total value of property concerned in the appeals, filed during the year was Rs. 24,040 against Rs. 20,128 last year.

(*e*) Extradition.

58. The surrender of 23 persons, including 10 from last year, was demanded by this State, sixteen from the

British Government and 7 from certain Native States. Of these 9 were surrendered, 4 by the British Government and 5 by the Native States, and the requisition for 8 persons from British territory was withdrawn. Thus 6 remained to be surrendered, 4 by the British Government and 2 by the Native States, at the end of the year.

59. The surrender of 17 persons, including 4 of the last year, was demanded from this State during the year of report, eleven by the British Government and six by some Native States. The demand for the surrender of 3 persons was withdrawn by Native States, 12 were surrendered, nine to the British Government and three to Native States. Two persons remained to be surrendered to the British Government at the end of the year.

(*f*) Prisons.

60. Appendix XIII gives details of Jail Administration.

61. Of the 121 prisoners in the Jail against 160 last year, 54 were those of the previous year and 67 were admitted during the year of report. 39 of these remained undischarged at the end of the year under report. One male prisoner was hanged and 3 male prisoners were sent up for War Service in Mesopotamia. 5 prisoners (2 male and 3 female) were released from the jail on the auspicious occasion of H. H. The Nawab's Bhismilla.

62. The daily average of prisoners during the year of report was 43.4 against 56.2 last year.

63. The Jail was maintained at a cost of Rs. 5,276/- against Rs. 5,657 in the previous year. The decrease is due to the fact that no special expenditure on the purchase

of uniforms and blankets was incurred as during the last year.

64. The prisoners are employed in indoor work and weaving carpets, Khadis and Chadars with fly Shuttle and other improved looms, and are also employed in grinding grain. They do outdoor work at times on Public Works as labourers under armed police guards. The value of the work done by them was Rs. 2,666 against Rs. 3,882 in the previous year.

65. The decrease is due to the number of prisoners being smaller during the year. 38 prisoners were given the benefit of rules in Chapter 21 of the Jail Manual referring to remissions in consideration of good conduct and efficiency in work entrusted to them. Out of these 14 prisoners have been released on the expiry of their term and the remaining 24 prisoners are still in the Jail.

(*g*) Registration.

66. Appendices XIV and XV give details of the registration of documents and fees realised.

67. 998 documents were presented for registration against 1022, all of which excepting two that were taken back unregistered by those who had presented them, were registered. The total value of the property concerned in these documents amounted to Rs. 4,43,563 against Rs. 3,86,883 last year. In sales only there was an increase, while all other kinds of documents shewed a falling off.

(*h*) Municipal Administration.

68. The Municipal Administration of the town of Cambay was carried on as in the last year by a wholly

nominated Municipal Board. It has now been decided to introduce the elective element into the Municipality. Municipal election rules have been published since the close of the year and half the number of councillors excluding the President will now be elected.

69. The Municipal Revenue was spent as usual on conservancy and sanitation in the town, the schools, hospitals and dispensaries being maintained by the State. This arrangement appears to require modification and matter is receiving attention.

70. The municipal income for the Samvat year 1973 (1916-17) was Rs. 35,699 with an opening balance of Rs. 3,647, making a total of Rs. 39,346 available for expenditure against Rs. 39,465 in the previous year as shown in Appendix XVI. A grant of Rs. 18000/- (against Rs. 16700 in the previous year) was made from the State and hence the increase in the total municipal income. No new roads were made during the year. Repairs to old roads cost Rs. 4,586/- The total length of Municipal roads remained the same as in the previous year *viz.* 11,570 yards.

71. The total expenditure amounted to Rs 35,849 against Rs. 35,818 last year. Appendix XVI also gives details of the Income and Expenditure of the Nawab Jaffer Ali Khan Water-works which are under Municipal management.

CHAPTER IV.—Production and Distribution.

Weather and Crops.

72. Appendix XVII gives details of rainfall for the year under report.

73. The fall registered was 41.15 Inches. The average fall, as given in the Rainfall data, for Cambay, is 27.72. The average of the falls of the preceding five years is 34.23.

	Average as per Rainfall data.	Fall in 1917.
June...	... 3.89... ...	... 0.92
July	...10.72... ...	... 7.06
August	... 7.82... ...	...12.99
September	... 4.40... ...	...12.28
October	... 0.71... ...	... 7.45
	Total 27.54... ...	...40.70

The excessive rain of August, September and October proved ruinous to the Bajri and Jowari crops and affected to a certain extent the late crops also. Bajri and Jowari fodder also was damaged by it. The sub-soil water level, however, rose considerably and but for this circumstance, there would have been some difficulty about water supply for men and cattle when the rain held out during the last two months. The outturn of the main crops during the year as compared with that of the last year was as under:—

	1917.		1918.	
	Area.	Yield.	Area.	Yield.
Rice...	... 2584.16	4 Annas.	3442. 5	8 Annas.
Bajri	...17512.14	12 ,,	17089.36	4 ,,
Jowar	...16109.10	12 ,,	15814.14	4 ,,

	Area.	Yield.	Area.	Yield.
Cotton	...22081.19	12 Annas.	10603.38	6/8 Annas.
Wheat	...30082. 8	12 „	43104.33	6/8 „
Tobacco	... 2013.27	12 „	2107. 3	6 „
Bavto Kodra	... 5894.33	12 „	5078.17	8 „
Oil seeds	... 2031.33	6 „	1895.23	2/4 „
Others	... 407.10	8 „	539. 1	8 „

74. The number of irrigation wells and tanks was 1,269 and 39 against 1,267 and 39 respectively in the previous year. The number remained practically stationary as on account of the excessive rainfall of the year there was no inducement to the people to dig new wells.

75. The area of irrigated land, during the year was 1660.29 acres as against 1233.18 in the previous year. The increase is due to the fact that after the early crops were damaged by excessive rain, irrigated crops were grown later in some of the area. The completion of the Kenewal tank will, it is hoped, bring an increasingly larger area under irrigation.

Wages and Labour.

76. The wages of labour were higher than in the preceding years, unskilled labourers earning six to eight annas and skilled ones frem twelve annas to one rupee. Labour was scarce.

77. Appendix XVIII gives the prices of food grains during the year as compared with the previous year. There was a marked increase in prices throughout, induced doubtless by the poor character of the crops and lack of transport facilities.

Agricultural Stock.

78. Appendix XIX gives details of agricultural stock. There is a satisfactory increase under all heads except in the case of sheep & goats which suffered considerably on account of the excessive rainfall.

Trade.

79. The sea-borne trade registered at the Port of Cambay during the year was valued at Rs. 5,54,151 against Rs. 7,92,422 last year. There was an increase last year owing to the fact that a large quantity of Railway sleepers and machinery was imported.

80. The following figures will show at a glance the volume of trade as compared with the previous year:—

IMPORTS.

	No. of vessels.	Capacity in Khandis.	Value of goods.
			Rs.
1917-18	Laden 285	26864	4,19,122
Do.	Empty 51	1427	...
	Total 336	28291	4,19,122
1916-17	Laden 441	39432	6,44,211
Do.	Empty 34	876	...
	Total 475	40308	6,44,211

EXPORTS.

	No. of vessels.	Capacity in Khandis.	Value of goods.
			Rs.
1917–18	Laden 123	6376	1,35,029
Do.	Empty 214	22021	...
	Total 337	28397	1,35,029
1916–17	Laden 174	9629	1,48,211
Do.	Empty 301	30892	...
	Total 475	40521	1,48,211

Manufactures and Industries.

81. The chief manufactures of Cambay are cotton and silk fabrics and various articles of agate and cornelian stone. Cotton yarn of various counts and cloth are manufactured in the Nawab of Cambay Mills. The working of the flour mills was slightly interfered with on account of the deficient supply of kerosene oil.

82. The total number of hand looms in Cambay was 3210 against 3120 in the last year's report. They gave employment to 6189 persons against 6478 last year. About 100 looms were not worked during the year under report. The trade in agate and cornelian stones, which in normal times gives employment to about 1015 persons, suffered somewhat on account of the War.

The Dye-house and other Factories.

83. The State dye-house continued to work as usual.

84. The Nawab of Cambay Mills worked throughout the year. During 10 months and 9 days of active work, excluding holidays and days when the Mill was closed owing to the examination of the boilers by the Steam Boiler Inspector, N. D., Ahmedabad, 3094 bales of yarn, weighing 12,37,600 lbs. were produced against 3372 bales, weighing 13,48,800 lbs. The Dye-house in this Mill also continued its work and dyed 129 bales of cotton yarn against 94 bales last year. This Dye-house worked during the year simply to supply the necessary materials for the Weaving Department in this Mill. Out of 264 looms in the Weaving Department in the Mill, about 250 were working during the year. They used up 7,00,382 lbs. of yarn turning out cloth, weighing 8,07,474 lbs. Cloth of the value of Rs. 8,78,629 was sold during the year. The average number of workmen employed in this Department was 217 per day; while in spinning, dyeing etc. the number employed was 782 per day. The Mill has made good profit during the year. The sanitary, medical and housing arrangements for the Mill labourers are fairly satisfactory.

85. The management of the Mill continued in the hands of the Agents, Secretaries and Treasurers, Messrs. Maganlal Harilal & Co.

86. The Mill has a ginning factory attached to it and its 10 gins, out of 34 erected, turned out 120 bales of cotton against 1629 last year when 30 gins were working. This factory worked for 21 days during the year owing to the deficiency of the cotton crop. The Tarapur

Ginning Factory was stopped this year; the remaining two ginning factories at Cambay, turned out 2099 bales of ginned cotton against 5525 by all the three factories last year. The decrease is due to the deficiency of the cotton crop and the winding up of the Tarapur Ginning Factory.

Public Works.

87. Appendix XX gives details of the Public Works executed from the State and Local Funds during the Samvat Year 1973 (1916—17). The item of Rs. 64,854 on buildings includes Rs. 45,278 for the Administrator's bungalow with outhouses and stables, Rs. 10,961 for extension of the Main Vernacular School, Rs. 2,097 for the State Engineer's quarters, Rs. 1,691 for a School for children of the depressed classes, Rs. 1,981 for extension of the Mandai Girls' School, Rs. 1,577 for additions and alterations in the new Jail, Rs. 406 for Chorâ construction and Rs. 863 for miscellaneous works. Out of the amount of Rs. 24,324 for wells etc., a sum of Rs. 13,890 was spent on the Kenewal Tank in Valli, Rs. 7,185 on improvements to the Alang Channel, Rs. 1,697 on the Vank Tank at Daloli and Rs. 1,552 on the Mehmedabad Tank. The Kenewal Tank was finished during the year as anticipated and the expectations formed of it as a reliable storage tank have been realised so far. Its scope and utility are being extended by constructing new distributary channels and extending those included in the scheme. It is to be hoped that the people of the State will be enterprising enough to take full advantage of these irrigational facilities provided for them and a large area of dry land and waste will be converted into garden land. About Rs. 10,000/- have, so far, been spent on the Alang channel which is being repaired and improved over a length of 7 miles

from the Northern boundary of the State, and with a feeder nearly a mile long the channel helps to fill the Kenewal Tank.

Cambay Railway.

88. The total gross earnings of the Tarapur Cambay Railway during the year ending March 1918 amounted to Rs. 64,122—2—4 against Rs. 70,569—8—9 in the corresponding previous year, while the net receipts excluding working expenses charged by the B. B. & C. I. Railway to the State amounted to Rs. 35,401—10—11 against Rs. 40,128—5—8 in the previous year.

89. The total amount invested by the State in the construction of the line, including the Bunder Siding amounted to Rs. 8,80,344—8—11 according to the B. B. & C. I. Railway account up to 31st March 1918. The extension of the siding to the Bunder head has cost the State Rs. 1,95,823—14—11 bringing the total cost to the State to Rs. 10,76,168—7—10.

General condition of the State and the people.

90. Owing largely to the excessive rainfall of the year, the outturn of crops was not very satisfactory. The early crops, Bajri and Jowari, were poor. Cotton promised well; but the outturn did not come up quite to expectations. Wheat on the whole was fairly good. As a partial set off against the loss in quantity there were of course the very high prices to be considered. The prices of cotton and wheat ruled high and, to the agriculturist, made up largely for the poverty of the early crops. Out of the land revenue of Rs. 3,50,859, Rs. 3,38,659 were collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 12,200 to be recovered after the close of the year.

Out of this amount Rs. 1,774 have been subsequently recovered and Rs. 10,426 remain to be collected. Remissions amounting to Rs. 11,220 were given leaving now a balance of Rs. 20,718 out of the previous arrears to be recovered against Rs. 33,553 in the previous year. Out of the outstandings of Rs. 78,815 of Tagavi, Rs. 17,104 were remitted, Rs. 10,154 were collected and the balance on this account now stands at Rs. 51,557. Taking the two items together a sum of Rs. 28,324 has been written off which is equal to about 8 per cent of a year's land revenue and Rs. 7,489 of the Land Revenue arrears of the previous years were collected. The Vahivatdar has, as usual, done satisfactory work in regard to collections of Land Revenue and Tagavi.

Licenses to possess arms (guns) continued to be given to agriculturists for crop protection. This has given them considerable relief.

Revenue and Rent Paying Classes.

91. There is nothing calling for special remarks under this head.

92. The number of transfers of occupancy rights recorded in the Revenue Registers during the year was 175 against 233 in the previous year. The land so transferred was assessed at Rs. 3,250 against Rs. 3,929 last year. The number of mortgages and sales of land was 227 and 140 respectively of the total value of Rs. 86,106 against 248 and 140 valued at Rs. 95,163 in the previous year.

Out of the total area of 149 acres, assessed at Rs. 721 which changed hands between agriculturists and non-agriculturists, 60 acres, assessed at Rs. 282, have

gone from agriculturists to Sowkars; while 89 acres, assessed at Rs. 439, were transferred from Sowkars to agriculturists. The difference is small; but the excess is on the right side.

93. The total number of suits about land was 119 of which 95 were for recovery of rent and 24 for ejectment of tenants against 134 and 17 last year.

CHAPTER V.—Revenue and Finance.

94. A comparative Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the Samvat years 1972 and 1973 is embodied in Appendix XXII.

95. The total receipts for the Samvat year 1973 amounted to Rs. 8,12,836 against Rs. 6,49,219 in the previous year, giving an increase of Rs. 1,63,617/. The total ordinary expenditure amounted to Rs. 6,22,070 against Rs. 5,22,739, giving an increase of Rs. 99,331. The closing balance of the Samvat year 1973 was Rs. 10,34,732.

96. On the receipt side, the bulk of the increase is under the following heads:—

	Rs.	
(*a*) Land Revenue	...1,26,514	(due to recovery of arrears.)
(*b*) Interest on loans	... 33,434	
(*c*) Octroi Duties	... 20,187	
(*d*) Abkari ,,,	... 10,075	

(*e*) Opium 7,919

(*f*) Law and Justice etc...6,751

(*g*) Cambay Railway ... 5,055

There are two items (Rs. 6,366 and Rs. 45,498) of decrease under the heads ' Public Works Department ' and ' Miscellaneous. '

97. On the expenditure side, there was a total decrease of Rs. 2,174 under Registration, Customs and Jail due mainly to economy under these heads.

The main items of increase are Public Works etc. (48,313), Land Revenue (10,385), Extraordinary (12,000) and Education (4,645).

98. The State has no boats of any kind now except two old ones which are useless for sailing purposes. Efforts are being made to dispose of them.

99. The salt and opium arrangements remained unaltered. The use of charas was absolutely prohibited in this State in conformity with the orders issued in Government Resolution No. 5072 in the Revenue Department, dated 23rd April 1917. The term of the contract with Messrs. Dalals, Vakil, Kothawala & Co., Government Liquor Contractors at Godhra, for a period of three years having expired on the 31st March last, they undertook to supply country liquor to this State for a further period of one year from 1st April 1918 at the prices noted below:-

Liquor L. P. Strength Re. 1 per gallon.

Massala liquor of 30° U. P. strength, Re. 1-1-0 per gallon. The arrangement to import liquor from the Godhra Distillery continued as during the last year and has resulted in a profit of Rs. 8,014 over the preceding year. The total consumption of liquor during the year 1916-17 was 16,450 gallons. The system of paying the shopkeepers fixed salaries instead of commission continued during the year. These salaries having been found to be excessive in some cases, a fresh auction was recently held with the result that the salaries were reduced by about Rs. 1,000 a year.

CHAPTER VI—Medical Services.

100. There are 6 medical institutions in the State, *viz*: (1) The Kennedy Hospital, (2) The Bibi Bahu Begam Saheb Free Dispensary, (3) The Diamond Jubilee Zenana Hospital, (4) The Tarapur and (5) Varasda Dispensaries and (6) The Veterinary Dispensary in Cambay. The relief is being given absolutely free, no charge even for medicines being made. All these institutions are largely availed of by the people of Cambay town and villages.

101. The average daily attendance of patients in the Zenana Hospital was 78.8. This institution which should be popular in a place with such a large Mahomedan population, has unfortunately had no Lady Doctor in charge for some months. Strenuous efforts are being made to secure the services of a Lady Doctor; and one, it is hoped, will be appointed at an early date.

102. The details of the medical relief afforded by these institutions, except the Veterinary Dispensary, are shown in Appendix XXIII.

103. The total number of patients treated in these institutions was 44,835 against 48,755 last year.

104. The total number of surgical operations performed during the year was 680 against 721 last year; of these 40 were major and 640 minor.

105. The two vaccinators continued to work under the supervision of the Chief Medical Officer as usual. One of them worked in the town and the other in the villages. 2,058 children against 21,98 last year were vaccinated.

Veterinary Dispensary.

106. 7,040 animals were treated against 5,756 in the previous year.

107. The total number of surgical operations performed upon animals was 331 against 401 of the previous year. Of these 140 were major and 191 minor.

108. All these six institutions were maintained by the State at a total cost of Rs. 14,297 against Rs. 13,988 in the previous year.

Vital Statistics.

109. Appendix XXIV gives details of births and deaths in the State during the year ending 31st May 1918.

110. The total number of births, registered during

the year was 2,872 against 2,555 giving a birth rate of 39·53 per mille against 34·26 in the preceding year.

111. The total uumber of deaths, registered during the year was 2,999 against 3,298 in the previous year, giving a death rate of 41.28 per mille against 46.91 last year. The birth rate in the City has gone up and the death rate has gone down as compared with the previous year. In rural areas births and deaths both show an increase. The increase in deaths is mainly due to the outbreak of Plague both in the City and villages. The total number of deaths from plague in the City was 154 and in the villages 491 giving a rate of 5.4 and 11.02 per mille respectively.

CHAPTER VII—Education.

112. Appendix XXV shows the number and nature of the Educational Institutions maintained by the State and the expenditure incurred on them. The figures of expenditure are for the Samvat Year 1973.

113. The number of schools at the close of the year was 43 against 41 in the previous year. 3,521 children attended these schools against 3,661 in the last year. The decrease is due to the outbreak of Plague during the year.

114. Of the 13 students, sent up for the Matriculation Examination from the High School 8 passed. This result is more satisfactory than the general result of the examination. The attendance showed an increase on the whole inspite of the draw-backs of the plague epidemic.

The expenditure shows an increase of Rs. 6,000/- over the last year's figure. The progress in general is fairly satisfactory.

115. Besides these State schools, there were 14 private schools, teaching elementary Gujrati. 227 students attended these schools. 10 schools taught the Koran, Arabic and Urdu, with a little Gujrati in some. 15 Parsi children received instruction from their priest. One night school, opened by the Cambay Education Society for teaching English, continued to work during the year. 55 students attended this school.

116. The Veda-Shala and the Jain Girls' School continued to receive State-aid as usual. The number of children, attending these institutions was 28 and 103 respectively. English also was taught along with other subjects in this Girls' School. One vernacular school under the Roman Catholic missionary at Fagni was recognised and began to receive an annual grant-in-aid from the State according to the Grant-in-aid Code. One school, Madressa-e-Tyebi, in the town was also recognised during the year.

117. Primary Education in Village Schools is entirely free. No fees are charged to students, attending the Girls' Schools, the Madressa and the Sanskrit school in Cambay town also.

118. Two vernacular teachers, one deputed last year for further study at the P. R. Training College for men, Ahmedabad, and the other newly deputed this year, received scholarships for study in the second year class.

This year four new vernacular teachers, two deputed for further study in the Special First Year Class and two admitted after having passed the Entrance Examination of the P. R. Training College also received scholarships. One teacher who was promoted to the third year class having passed the 2nd year's examination was also given a scholarship. Thus there are seven vernacular teachers in all studying at the College who are in receipt of State stipends. One of the two students in the Female Training College continued to get her scholarship for further study after passing her 2nd year's examination. The other student after passing the 3rd year's examination was given service in the State Educational Department. This year the scale of these State scholarships was raised from Rs. 7 to Rs. 10 per mensem according to the revised scale in British Districts. One of the two girl students sent to take a course of midwifery and nursing at the Victoria Jubilee Hospital, Ahmedabad, continued to receive her scholarship while the other entered service here after taking the first year's course. One student of this State in the Sydenham College of Commerce, Bombay, also continued to receive a scholarship this year.

119. Out of the seven students sent up for the Elementary Grade Examination in Drawing, 5 came out successful. Six students appeared at the London Chamber of Commerce Senior Examination in Book-keeping and Accountancy of whom four were declared to have passed the examination—one of them with distinction.

120. The total cost of education to the State, including scholarships was Rs. 30,198 against Rs. 23,854 last year. The fee receipts for the year were Rs. 3,737 against Rs, 3,365 last year.

121. The annual examinations of both the English and Vernacular schools were held as usual and the results were unfortunately inferior to those of the previous year. The result for the English School was 41% of passes against 50% of the last year and that for the Vernacular Schools was 46.1% against 49.2. The decrease in the percentage of passes is generally due to the fact that most of the schools had to be closed for more than a month owing to the Plague and some (at Tarapur and in the City) for nearly three months. The percentage of students in State Schools to population is 4.8. The decrease is due to several students having left the schools owing to the Plague. The State is in want of trained and qualified teachers. Efforts are being made to secure the services of such men or to train the qualified men already in service. Lessons in English continued to be given in the Main Girls' School and the Urdu School. These were voluntary so far but recently English has been made an additional subject in the courses prescribed for the 5th and higher standards in Girls' Schools. Efforts were continued this year also to send up as many teachers as possible for training to the Premchand Roychand Training College. At present 7 male teachers in all are being trained at the said College and one girl student at the Female Training College. Quite recently scholarships of Rs. 5 per mensem each have been sanctioned in the upper standards in the High School to be awarded on the results of the terminal and annual examinations. These should serve to excite healthy rivalry amongst the students and improve the general standard of work in the school.

A modest scheme of compulsory education in certain selected primary schools was introduced and its progress

will be carefully watched. While some of the selected villages grumbled, others not so selected clamoured for the introduction of compulsion in their schools.

CHAPTER VIII—Miscellaneous.

122. The State records have been classified and arranged in proper order. The records of the Administrator's office which are in confusion are being sorted and useless records are being set apart for destruction.

The Darbar Press.

123. The Darbar Press was worked as usual and it cost the State Rs. 784 as against Rs. 770 last year. Mr. Jatashanker Ravishanker continued to work throughout the year as Press Manager. The Cambay Gazette, issued under the authority of the Darbar, was printed and published from this Press as hitherto. The printing of all the forms required in the various offices of the State, the printing of the Annual Administration Report and other miscellaneous work are done at the Press. Some new machinery and type which are badly required for the Press are being secured.

Library.

124. The reading room of the Lord Reay Library continued to be kept up as a free institution for the public. The number of subscribers to the Library during the year was 24 against 40 last year. The total cost of maintaining the Library was Rs. 592 of which 456 were contributed by the State and Rs. 136 were raised as subscriptions.

125. The Library continued to be supplied free of charge with some parts of the Bombay Government Gazette, Government printed reports on various subjects and Press Notes as in previous years; and the concession is greatly appreciated.

Conclusion.

126. Good establishment and good roads are among the main wants of the State. The pay of the establishment, in the lower grades at any rate, is hardly sufficient to attract the right stamp of men and this matter is receiving attention. Improved methods of account procedure or administration are apt to be handicapped in the absence of a capable staff to carry them out. The lack of good roads is, of course, a concomitant of the sandy nature of the soil. Metal is hard to get any where in the neighbourhood and the necessary rolling stock to bring it from long distances into the State, harder still. One road from Golana to Rohini-more than 4 miles in length-was completed during the year. It is only a fair weather road. The improvement of village tanks continues to receive attention. Several important public works carried out during the year have already been referred to in para 87. New school houses are being provided wherever urgently necessary.

At one time it looked as if the people were likely to suffer hardships in the matter of their supplies of kerosene oil, salt and wheat. Intervention by the State at the right time happily avoided difficulties. The supply of kerosene oil was early regulated and it is a matter for some satisfaction to note that while in some towns in the neighbourhood, a tin of kerosene oil was being sold at from Rs. 5 to Rs. 10, our prices here never went beyond

Rs. 3-8-0 per tin. Similarly in the case of wheat, the price of the reddish variety- the one largely used by the poor- was maintained at Rs. 3 to $3\frac{1}{4}$ per maund of 40 lbs. A shop was opened by the State when it appeared that the prices were likely to go up unreasonably. The State has also opened a depot for salt and there is no difficulty for any one in the State to procure the required supplies of salt at fixed and reasonable rates. On the whole the people of the State have, in the matter of these necessaries of life, fared far better than many of their neighbours.

The financial position of the State continues satisfactory. The details of invested capital are as under:—

	Rs. A. P.
English War Loan £ 6500 ...	...91,311-10-11
Indian War Bonds face value ...	...50,000—0—0
Government of India $3\frac{1}{2}$ % loan face value	3,35,000—0—0
Do. Do. 4 % loan face value...	33,800—0—0
Shares in the Nawab of Cambay Mills face value	...2,00,000—0—0
Deposit with the Nawab of Cambay Mills	...4,00,000—0—0
Treasury Bills	...1,10,000—0—0
Fixed Deposit in the Bank of Bombay	...1,00,000—0—0
Debentures of the Willingdon Sports Club	... 10,000—0—0
Total.....Rs.	13,30,111-10-11

No period was fixed for a deposit of two out of the four lakhs with the Cambay Mill. A period of 5 years has now been agreed upon for this deposit and the amount will be repaid to the State by the 1st August 1923. The other two lakhs placed in deposit with the Mill will be repaid in full to the State by the end of June 1919.

The port Improvement Scheme has had to be postponed till after the War owing to the enormous rise in the price of materials. Opinions on the utility of this scheme are divided and it might be profitable to examine the whole situation again when normal times return.

The State contributed Rs. 2,000 for Recreation Tents for troops in Mesopotamia; Rs. 2,000 towards Queen Mary's Technical School for disabled Indian soldiers, in addition to Rs. 309 paid by the people of the State; Rs. 50 every month from August 1917 towards the East Indies Station Naval Fund, £ 10 towards the relief of Belgian Soldiers; Rs. 1,000 towards 'Our Day' fund in addition to Rs. 744 by the people of Cambay; Rs. 1,263 towards the Anand recruiting Depot—Rs. 1,000 in cash and the balance in clothes. Since the close of the year, Rs. 750 have been given as a donation to the Poona Pageant and Fete.

The State has already invested in the 2nd Indian War Loan Rs. 1,00,000/- and Rs. 1,58,000 have been promised by the people of Cambay. Some of the Cambay people residing in Bombay have promised substantial amounts, on being appealed to by the Administrator.

As stated above, the State has already contributed one lakh of rupees to the 2nd Indian War Loan. If the rainfall conditions are satisfactory, a further substantial amount will also be invested in the Loan.

Although the actual results are unfortunately not very satisfactory, every effort is being made to secure recruits. Some recruits have already come forward recently. The bonus to recruits and recruiters from the State, to be granted in addition to the Government bonus, has recently been raised and a few trusty recruiters will soon begin an earnest recruiting campaign here. The people of the State are thoroughly loyal to the Suzerain. Their response to the Second Indian War Loan has this year been quite satisfactory-indeed far more so than in the preceding year— and the scenes witnessed here in mosques and temples on the 4th August bore ample testimony to the depth of their devotion to the cause of the Empire.

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APPENDICES.

Appendix I.

NAMES of HIGH OFFICIALS in the CAMBAY STATE, showing changes in personnel during the year 1917-18.

No.	Names of Officers.	Appointment.	Period. From.	Period. To.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Mr. K. R. Bomanji, C. S. (Retired) ...	Administrator	1—6—17	22—4—18	Went on 2 months & 12 days' privilege leave, from 23—4—18, preparatory to retirement.
	,, V. K. Namjoshi, B. A.	Do.	23—4—18	31—5—18	
2	,, Manibhai Gulabbhai Desai, B.A., LL. B.	Sar Nayadhish...	1—6—17	31—5—18	
3	,, Jagannath Sagoon Rege	Superintendent of Police ...	1—6—17	31—5—18	
4	,, Ziyauddin Mahomed Usman Maulvi High Court Pleader 1910... ...	First Class Magistrate ...	1—6—17	31—5—18	
5	,, Chunilal Vithaldas Desai High Court Pleader 1903	Nayayadhish	1—6—17	22—6—17	Resigned.
	,, Chunilal Shyamji Trivedi High Court Pleader 1909	Do.	23—6—17	31—5—18	
6	,, Dhanjibhai Motabhai Vakil ...	Chief Medical Officer	1—6—17	31—5—18	
7	,, Hiralal Ranchhoddas L. M. & S. ...	Bibi Bahubegam Saheb free Dispensary Doctor... ...	1—6—17	31—5—18	
8	Miss. A. Pollette Roberts	Zanana Hospital Doctor ...	14—1—18	25—3—18	Resigned.
9	Mr. A. F. Quadros...	Veterinary Assistant	1—6—17	31—5—18	
10	,, J. R. Jussawalla B. E. (Civil) ...	State Engineer...	1—6—17	31—5—18	

11	„ M. V. Bhavalker L. C. E. ...	Assistant State Engineer ...	1—6—17	31—7—17	Services dispensed with, & the post was vacant upto 31-8-17.
	„ Damodar Narayen Limaye B. SC. B. E., (Civil)	Do.	1—9—17	31—5—18	
12	Mirza Fatehalikhan	Daroga of Import Duty ...	1—6—17	31—5—18	
13	R. S. Mohanlal Bapulal Rawal ...	Treasury Officer	1—7—17	31—5—18	Mr. Rawal was on l. w. p. from 1-6-17 to 31-6-17 & during his absence, the retired treasury officer Mr. Chunibhai Manibhai Mehta worked.
14	Mr. Maganlal Bhailal Desai... ...	Vahivatdar	1—6—17	31—5—18	
15	„ Bhogilal Nagindas Shah M. A., S. T. C, D...	Head Master, High School ...	1—6—17	31—5—18	

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Appendix II.

LIST of LAWS in force in the CAMBAY STATE.

Description.	Whether adapted from British Act.	Introduced during year under report.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4
Indian Penal Code	Yes.	Introduced in previous years.	
Indian Criminal Procedure Code ...	,,		
Indian Evidence Act...	,,		
The New Indian Civil Procedure Code	,,		
Abkari Act	,,		
Salt Act	,,		
Opium Act	,,		
District Police Act	,,		
Gambling Act...	,,		
Mamlatdar Courts Act	,,		
Tariff Act	,,		
Post Office Act	,,		
Limitation Act	,,		
Registration Act	,,		
Stamp Act	,,		
Court Fee Act	,,		
Indian Companies Act	,,		
The Explosives Act of 1908... ...	,,		
Cambay Municipal Act	,,		
An Act for the Protection of Wild Birds and Animals.	,,		
Factory Act	,,		
Insolvency Act	,,		
Rules under the Deccan Agriculturist Relief Act...	,,		
Lunatic Asylums Act (XXXVI) of 1858	,,		
The Official Secrets Act	,,	Yes.	

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Appendix III.

STATEMENT showing the STRENGTH, COST and other particulars of the MILITARY FORCE in the CAMBAY STATE, 1917-1918.

Arm of Service.	Number of Fighting Officers and men.						Details of Force at the end of the current year.						Total cost on account of pay and allowances of the force, including followers.	Remarks.
	At the end of last year.	Recruited this year.	Casualties.			At the end of the current year.	Number of Regiments, Battalions or Batteries.	Number of guns.	Number of men.					
			Died.	Invalided.	Discharged, deserted &c.				European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Cavalry ...	15	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	1	14	Rs. 15,031-0-0	
Artillery ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	9	...	...	...	1		
Infantry ...	146	25	5	2	17	147	...	...	...	...	...	147		
Total ...	162	25	5	2	17	163	...	9	...	...	1	162		

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Appendix IV.

STATEMENT showing the STRENGTH, COST, DISCIPLINE and EDUCATION of the POLICE for the year 1917-1918.

Description of Officers.	Number.	Pay of the Grade.	Total Cost.	Punishments.			Rewards.		Education.		Remarks.
				Dismissed.	Fined, degraded or suspended departmentally.	Punished judicially.	By promotion.	By money.	Number able to read and write.	Number under instruction.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Rs.									
Police Superintendent ...	1	300	Rs. 43,922	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	‡ The Police Sowers get Rs. 20 p. m. each as Horse allowance besides their pay from Rs. 12 to 15.
Chief Constables	2	40 to 60		...	...	...	1	...	2	...	
Naib Fouzdars	2	25 to 30		...	...	...	...	...	2	...	
Minor Police Officers (foot)...	26	14 to 20		...	2	...	5	1	19	...	
Police Constables	109	10 to 12		...	51	1	2	2	30	...	
Chief Mounted Police Officer.	1	40		...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Police Sowars	18	12 to 15‡		...	5	...	...	...	15	...	
Armed Police Officer ...	1	30		...	...	...	...	...	1	...	* Though there are 62 armed police officers, there are only 29 serviceable guns.
Minor Armed Police Officers.	6 *	14 to 18		...	...	...	2	2	3	...	
Armed Police Constables ...	55	10 to 12		...	26	...	3	1	10	...	

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Appendix V.

STATEMENT showing the working of the POLICE in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1917-18.

State.	Number of offences.		Number of accused arrested.		Number of accused sent for trial.		Number of accused convicted.		Number of accused acquitted or discharged.		Percentage of convictions (Cols. 4 & 5).		Percentage convicted of accused sent for trial.		Remarks.
	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	9
Cambay	125	96	169	78	165	77	131	57	29	18	77.51	73.0	79.39	74.0	

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Appendix VI.

STATEMENT showing the VALUE of PROPERTY STOLEN and AMOUNT of RECOVERIES in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1917—18.

State.	Amount stolen.		Amount recovered.		Percentage of recoveries of property stolen.		Remarks.
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Cambay...	3,083	3,857	1,951	1,776	63.28	46.05	

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APPENDIX VII.

Appendix

STATEMENT showing the Number of CRIMES COMMIT-
AWAITING TRIAL in the CAMBAY

Number.	Description of Offences.	Number of Offences.			Number of cases disposed of during past year.	Number of cases disposed of during present year.	Number of persons apprehended.	Number of persons convicted.
		Balance from past year.	Committed during the present year.	Total.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	A Under Indian Penal Code.							
1	Offences against Public Tranquillity ...	...	7	7	19	7	25	25
2	Offences by or relating to Public Servants	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
3	Contempts of lawful authority of Public Servants	...	4	4	3	4	4	4
4	False Evidence and offences against Public Justice	...	1	1	4	1	1	1
5	Offences relating to Weights & Measures.	...	6	6	1	6	6	6
6	Offences affecting the Public Health, Safety Convenience, decency or Morals ...	...	7	7	9	7	30	5
7	Offences affecting the Human Body:—							
	(*a*) Affecting life	...	3	3	2	2	3	2
	(*b*) Of Hurt	1	110	111	100	111	302	16
	(*c*) Of Wrong Restraint	...	1	1	5	1	3	...
	(*d*) Of Criminal Force and Assault ...	...	7	7	9	7	16	2
	(*e*) Of Kidnapping and Abduction ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(*f*) Of Rape	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(*g*) Of Abortion...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(*h*) Of Unnatural Intercourse	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
8	Offences against Property:—							
	(*a*) Of Theft	...	23	23	36	22	29	22
	(*b*) Of Extortion	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(*c*) Of Robbery and Decoity	...	1	1	4	1	4	4
	(*d*) Of Criminal Misappropriation of Property	...	...	...	6	...	...	...
	(*e*) Of Criminal Breach of Trust ...	2	...	2	3	1	2	...
	(*f*) Of the Receiving of Stolen Property	...	1	1	5	1	2	2
	(*g*) Of Cheating...	1	8	9	6	9	14	13
	(*h*) Of Mischief...	...	25	25	16	25	37	5
	(*i*) Of Criminal Trespass	...	3	3	10	3	7	2
9	Offences relating to Documents and to Trade or Property marks	1	...	1	3	...	1	...
10	Offences relating to Marriage	2	20	22	10	21	42	2
11	Defamation	...	7	7	5	7	36	...
12	Criminal Intimidation, Insult and Annoyance	...	84	84	32	84	156	4
	Total ...	7	318	325	290	320	720	114

VII.

TED, number of CASES DISPOSED OF and CASES STATE, during the year 1917-18.

Number of persons sentenced.										Terms of Imprisonment.												
Imprisonment.		Imprisonment and fine.		Fine only.	Whipping.	Total.	Number of persons acquitted or discharged.	Number of persons confined being insane.	Number of persons died during or before trial.	Under 1 month.	From 1 to 2 months.	From 2 to 3 months.	From 3 to 6 months.	From 6 to 12 months	From 1 to 2 years.	From 2 to 3 years.	From 3 to 5 years.	Above 5 year.	Life imprisonment.	Capital punishment.	Awaiting trial.	Remarks.
Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.																			
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...	30	1	16	64	2	113	601	...	...													

	Total ...	7	318	325	290	320	720	114
	B. Offence against other laws.								
13	Abkari Act	...	1	1	4	1	4	4
14	Cattle Trespass Act	...	1	1	2	1	1	1
15	Gambling Act	...	3	3	7	3	18	13
16	District Police Act	...	49	49	73	49	70	66
17	Arms Act.	1	1	2	8	2	2	1
18	Prisons Act	...	1	1	1	1	1	1
19	Customs Act	...	1	1	1	1	1	1
20	Factory Act	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Municipal Act	...	1	1	...		1	1
	Total ...	1	58	59	96	59	98	88
	Grand Total ...	8	376	384	386	379	818	202

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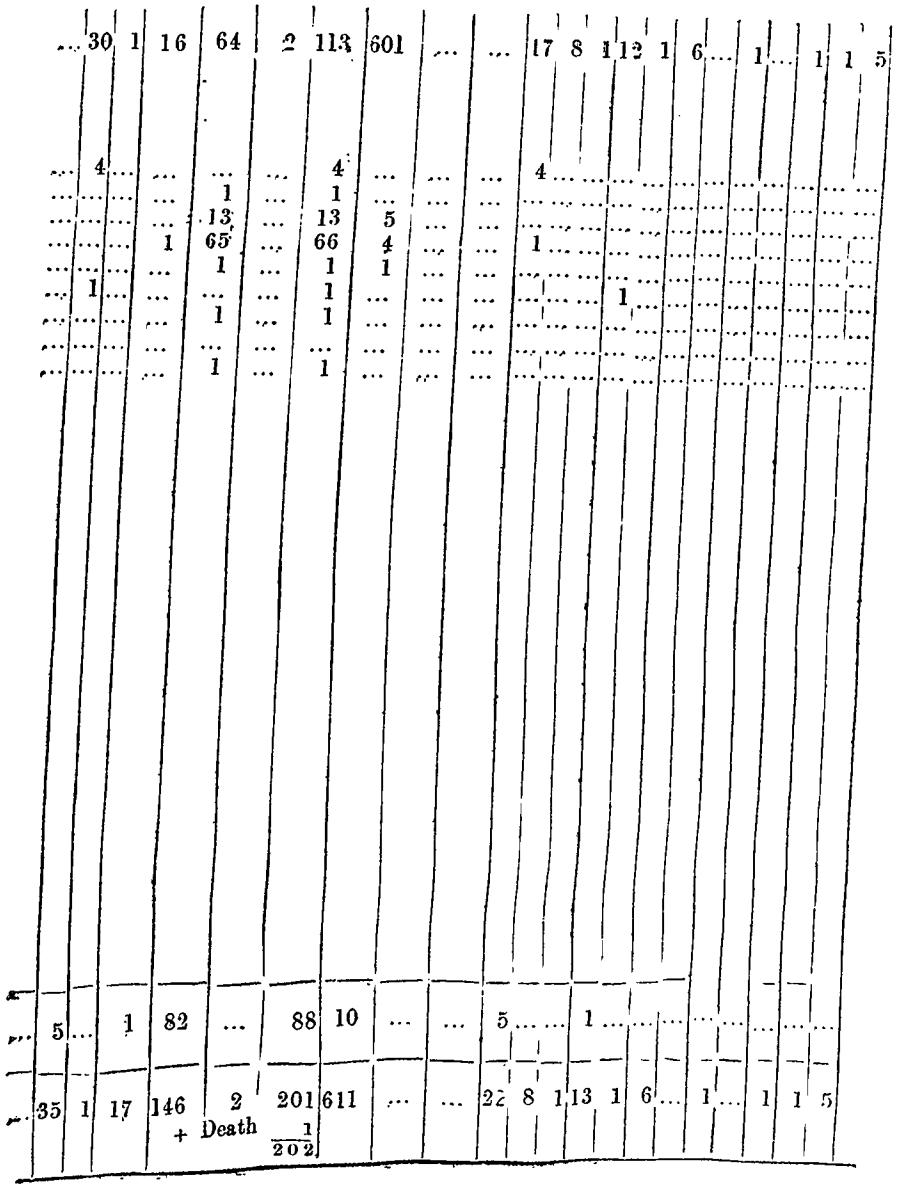
VII—*Concluded.*



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...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	5	...	1	82	...	88	10	...	...	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	35	1	17	146	2	201	611	...	...	22	8	1	13	1	6	...	1	...	1	1	5

+ Death $\frac{1}{202}$

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Appendix VIII.

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER of OFFENCES reported and dealt with by the various Courts in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1917-18.

Name of Court.	Number of offences reported during the year.		Number of persons dealt with.								Persons disposed of					Persons remaining at the end of the year.	Remarks.
			Remaining at the end of last year.	Brought to trial in 1918					Total.								
	Past year.	Present year.		Arrested by Police.	Upon warrant.	On Summons.	Voluntarily.	Arrested in presence of the magistrate.	Past year.	Present year.	Discharged.	Acquitted and compounded.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped or transferred.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Magistrate 1st Class	389	375	17	77	12	711	...	...	805	800	53	554	197	*8	...	5	* As the 8 accused in the F. C. Magistrate Court, whose cases have been disposed of by the Sessions Court, are included in cols. 13 & 14, the total of col. 15 is left blank.
Do. Nyayadhish ...	2	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	
Sessions Court... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*4	4	...	...	...	
Total ...	391	376	17	77	12	712	...	...	807	801	53	558	202	...	...	5	

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Appendix IX.

STATEMENT showing the RESULTS of APPEALS against decisions passed by the CRIMINAL COURTS in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1917—18.

Tribunal.	Number of applications.	Number of persons and cases.																Remarks.
		Applications rejected.		Sentenced.						Proceedings quashed.		Referred.		Further inquiry &c. ordered.		Pending.		
				Confirmed.		Modified.		Reversed.										
		Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Hazoor Court ...	15	1	1	5	4	10	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	4	...	...	
Sessions Court ...	20	...	...	15	12	3	3	5	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	35	1	1	20	16	13	9	5	5	...	...	...	...	5	4	...	...	

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Appendix

CIVIL WORK—Nature and value of ORIGINAL

Number.	Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during the year, received by transfer or on demand.		Total.		Disposed of during the year.		Closing balance.	
		Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	Nyayadhish Court	115	124	372	334	487	458	363	434	124	24
2	Sar Nyayadhish (Small Causes Court) ...	26	6	642	731	668	737	662	727	6	10
3	,, above Rs. 5,000	1	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	...	...
4	Sardars' Court...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
	Total ...	143	130	1014	1066	1157	1196	1027	1162	130	34

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X.

SUITS filed and disposed of during the year 1917-18

SUITS FILED DURING THE PRESENT YEAR.										SUITS DISPOSED OF DURING THE PRESENT YEAR.						
Value.	Suits re-landed property.	Suits for money transactions.	Suits for other rights.	No. of suits under Rs. 50.	No. of suits above Rs. 50 and under Rs. 100.	No. of suits above Rs. 100 and under Rs. 500.	No. of suits above Rs. 500 and under Rs. 1000.	No. of suits above Rs. 1,000 and under Rs. 5,000.	Above Rs. 5,000.	Exparte.	Admitted and Compromised.	Struck off the file.	Otherwise disposed of.	Value.	Average duration.	REMARKS.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Rs.								Unvalu able.						Rs.		
66,029	33	208	93	84	39	145	15	8	43	38	144	13	239	76,521	50.1	
18,206	...	731	...	606	125	...	...	...	...	199	368	20	140	18,006	29.9	
...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	34	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
84,235	33	939	94	690	164	145	15	8	44	237	512	33	380	94,527	38	

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Appendix XI.

CIVIL WORK—RESULTS of APPLICATIONS for execution of decrees.

Number.	Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Value of opening balance for present year.	Applications brought to the register.			Total.			Disposed of.			Closing balance.			Nature of applications pending disposal at the close of the year 1917–18.			Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Under 6 months.	Under 12 months.	Above 12 months.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
				Rs.			Rs.			Rs.			Rs.			Rs.				
1	Nyayadhish Court...	146	91	43,285	449	354	59,768	595	445	103053	504	386	57,971	91	59	45,082	59	...	...	
2	Sar Nyayadhish Court	69	16	523	430	343	12,325	499	359	12848	483	347	10,225	16	12	2,623	11	1	...	
	Total ...	215	107	43,808	879	697	72,093	1094	804	115901	987	733	68,196	107	71	47,705	70	1	...	

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Appendix XII.

CIVIL WORK—Value and Results of Appeals in CIVIL SUITS.

Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during.		Total.		Disposed of during.		Closing balance.		Value of appeals filed during.		How Disposed of.								Average duration.		Remarks.
													Decisions confirmed.		Decisions reversed.		Decisions amended.		Cases remanded for re-trial.		Cases Compromised and otherwise disposed of.				
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
											Rs.	Rs.													
Sar Nyayadhish Court First appeals.	12	...	21	85	33	85	33	51	...	4	2,537	20,686	13	35	11	16	8	22	...	7	1	1	72.5	34.7	
Hazur Court Second appeals.	...	1	15	8	15	9	14	7	1	2	9,138	3,149	11	4	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	1	39.24	48.7	
Hazur Court First appeals	1	...	2	3	3	3	3	3	...	...	8,453	205	2	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	30.3	16	
Total...	13	1	38	96	51	97	50	61	1	6	20,128	24,040	27	42	12	17	10	23	1	7	1	2	47.34	33.13	

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Appendix XIII.

STATEMENT showing the number of persons confined in the JAILS and LOCK-UPS in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1917-18.

Station.	Number of prisons.	Number of prisoners.				Daily average in Jail.		Number of prisoners remaining at the end of the year.	Total cost of Jail and prisoners.	Average period of accused under trial.	Remarks showing mortality among convicts in Jail.
		Remaining from last year.	Admitted during the year.	Total.							
				Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Cambay.....	1	54	67	160	121	56.2	43.4	39	Rs. 5276	2.0	

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Appendix XIV.

REGISTRATION of DOCUMENTS in the CAMBAY STATE.

Name of State.	Nature of documents presented.												Documents registered.		Value of Documents registered.		Document of which registry has been refused.		Documents remaining unregistered pending enquiry at the close of the year.		Remarks.
	Documents presented for registration.		Mortgages.		Sale deeds.		Wills.		Money bonds.		Miscellaneous.										
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Cambay ...	1022	998	444	410	487	513	41	35	...	...	50	41	1020	996	Rs. 3,86,883	Rs. 4,43,563	2	2 ‡	...	...	‡ The 2 Documents that were taken back unregistered by their owners have been shown in col. No. 19.

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Appendix XV.

STATEMENT showing the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE on account of REGISTRATION during the year 1917-18.

Description.	Past year.			Present year.			Remarks.
	Number of deeds.	Value of property.	Fees realized.	Number of deeds.	Value of property.	Fees realized.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
Mortgages	444	103732-10-0	1668—8-0	410	133224—9-0	2098—8-0	
Sale deeds...	487	157980—3-2	4606—8-0	512	161337-13-7	4821-12-0	
Wills	41	110623-13-6	426—0-0	35	98324—0-0	330—0-0	
Miscellaneous	50	14546-10-6	380-12-0	41	50676—6-6	778—4-0	
Total ...	1022	386883—5-2	7081-12-0	998	443562-13-1	8028—8-0	
Deduct Expenditure ...	...	...	637—0-0	...	...	518—0-0	
Net Income...	...	...	6444-12-0	...	...	7510—8-0	

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Appendix XVI.

RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CAMBAY MUNICIPALITY during the year 1917-18.

Name.	Opening balance.	Receipts.		Total in current year.	Expenditure.		Closing balance.	Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	
Cambay Municipality...	3,647	34,514	35,699	39,346	35,818	35,849	3,497-0-0	
Waterworks	10,091	35,593	35,023	45,114	25,502	37,609	7,505-0-0	

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Appendix XVII.

STATEMENT of RAINFALL in the CAMBAY STATE.

State.	June, 1917.		July, 1917.		August, 1917.		September, 1917.		October, 1917.		November, 1917.		December, 1917.		January, 1918.		February, 1918.		March, 1918.		April, 1918.		May, 1918.		Total.		Total of previous years.		Average of past 5 years.		Remarks.
	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	
1	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		9		10		11		12		13		14		15		16		17
Cambay. ...	0.92		7.6		12.99		12.28		7.45		...		...		...		...		...		...		0.45		41.15		26.87		34.23	

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Appendix XVIII.

STATEMENT of prices of FOOD—GRAINS.

State.	Articles.	During May 1917 (past year.) per maund of 40 lbs.	During May 1918 (present year.) per maund of 40 lbs.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
Cambay...	Bajri	1 8 0 to 1 12 0	3 2 0	
	Kodra	1 4 0	1 12 0	
	Wheat–red...	2 1 6	3 3 0	
	Do. white	2 6 9	3 14 0	
	Rice	3 4 0 to 5 0 0	3 0 0 to 5 4 0	
	Dal Tuver	3 0 0 to 3 8 0	2 12 0 to 3 8 0	
	Muth	1 12 0	2 10 0	
	Gram	1 13 0 to 2 2 0	2 1 0 to 2 4 0	

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Appendix XIX.

AGRICULTURAL STOCK in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1917–18.

District.	Year.	Cattle.					Horses.				Asses.	Sheep and Goats.	Ploughs.		Carts.		Remarks.
		Bullocks.	Cows.	He-buffaloes.	She-buffaloes.	Total.	Horses.	Mares.	Colts and Fillies.	Total.			With two Bullocks.	With four bullocks.	Riding.	Load carrying	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Cambay City ...	1917-18	1093	359	158	1209	2819	172	12	2	186	523	1122	197	1	42	2	
„ Villages ...	„	13532	9280	1304	16327	40443	83	150	33	266	372	4321	4915	..	15	2469	
Total ...		14625	9639	1462	17536	43262	255	162	35	452	895	5443	5112	1	579	2697	
1916—17		...	...	...	...	41717	...	...	...	394	892	7647	4834		3062		

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Appendix XX.

EXPENDITURE on PUBLIC WORKS, during the year 1917-18.

State.	Description of works.	State funds.			Local funds.			Grand Total.
		Original.	Repairs.	Total.	Original.	Repairs.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Cambay ...	Buildings	64854	16911	81765	4128	1796	5924	87689
	Wells, Tanks, and Water works ...	24324	2007	26331	1388	1692	3080	29411
	Roads	...	333	333	...	7356	7356	7689
	Reclamation	...	127	127	...	...	...	127
	Gardens	...	8004	8004	...	...	...	8004
	Establishment	11029	...	11029	2419	...	2419	13448
	Miscellaneous	1425	...	1425	4583	...	4583	6008
	Bunder Decca & creak improvement.	...	9054	9054	...	...	...	9054
	Total ...	101632	36436	138068	12518	10844	23362	161430

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Appendix XXI.

STATEMENT showing the EXCISE SHOPS and EXCISE REVENUE of the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1917-18.

Name of State.	Country Spirit.		Opium.		Ganja.		Toddy.		Total.		Remarks.
	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Cambay	12	Rs. 62518	34	Rs. 39767	4	Rs. 1951	2	Rs. 1595	52	Rs. 105831	

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APPENDIX XXII.

Appendix

No. I—RECEIPTS.

No.	Items.	Samvat year 1972 ended 31st October 1916.	Samvat year 1973 ended 31st October 1917.	Increase.	Decrease.
I	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Land Revenue...	270336	496850	126514	...
2	Law and Justice, including Cattle Pound Fees & fines ...	11866 2916	21533	6751	...
3	Stamps	9342	11893	2551	...
4	Registration	8353	8848	495	...
5	Customs...	8763	10160	1397	...
6	Salt Compensation & Nazarana...	40155	40253	98	...
7	Abkari including Bhang, Ganja and Poisonous Drugs... ...	56064	66139	10075	...
8	Opium	31848	39767	9719	...
9	Octroi Duties	36650	56837	20187	...
10	Education and Library... ...	3491	3913	422	
11	Jail	3882	2666	...	1216
12	Interest on Loans	53030	86464	33434	...
13	Cambay Railway	35267	40322	5055	...
* 14	Police	...	324	324	...
* 15	Medical	...	81	81	...
* 16	Printing Press	...	1394	1394	...
17	P. W. Department	16719	10353	...	6366
18	Miscellaneous	60537	15039	...	45498
	Total Receipts ...	649219	812836	216697	53080
	Deposits and Advances... ...	93113	221910	128797	...
	Excluded Funds	87680	99917	12237	...
	Total ...	830012	1134663	357731	53080
	Opening Balance ...	663802	722686	58884	...
	Grand Total ..	1493814	1857349	416615	53080

* Note:—The receipts for the Samvat year 1972 for items Nos. 14 to 16 are included in item No. 18. These heads are according to those sanctioned in the last Budget.

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No. II—EXPENDITURE.

No.	Items.	Samvat year 1972 ended 31st October 1916.	Samvat year 1973 ended 31st October 1917.	Increase.	Decrease.
I	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Palace Expenses and allowances Paid to H. H.'s relatives including Provisioning Department or Modikhana.	138870	138882	12	...
2	Pensions...	7957	9041	1084	...
3	Parvarshis	7144	7614	470	...
4	Charities & Religious Grants...	7985	9703	1718	...
5	Hakdars' allowances	4158	4470	312	...
6	Police	40887	43922	3035	...
7	Levies	13758	15031	1273	...
8	Public Works Department including Waterworks & Bander Dacca.	89755	138068	48313	...
9	Grant-in-aid	16700	20000	3300	...
10	General Administration... ...	21097	24797	3700	...
11	Abkari	13304	16457	3153	...
12	Opium	9575	12053	2478	...
13	Registration	637	518	...	119
14	Octroi Duty Establishment ...	4177	4681	504	...
15	Customs and Port charges, ...	4230	2556	...	1674
16	Law and Justice	12720	15762	3042	...
17	Jail	5657	5276	...	381
18	Medical Charges including Veterinary Surgeon and Vaccination Departments	13988	14297	309	...
19	Education and Library... ...	19008	23653	4645	...
20	Printing and Stationery	1570	2150	580	...
21	Tribute paid to the British Government	21924	21924	...	...
22	Interestion Debts	7444	7472	28	...
23	Land Revenue including Grass Ganji, Village Officers ... and Ravanias	43775	54160	10385	...
24	Cambay State Railway	7796	8061	265	...
25	Miscellaneous	623	1522	899	...
26	Extra Ordinary Expenses. ...	8000	20000	12000	...
	Total Expenditure ...	522739	622070	101505	2174
	Deposits and Advances ...	163173	89995	...	73178
	Excluded Funds	85216	110552	25336	...
	Total payments ...	771128	822617	126841	75352
	Closing Balance ...	722686	1034732	312046	...
	Grand Total ...	1493814	1857349	438887	75352

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Appendix XXIII.

STATEMENT of MEDICAL RELIEF afforded in the CAMBAY STATE during the year 1917-18.

Dispensary.	Number of patients treated.		Results of Indoor-patients.				Expenditure	Daily average.	Remarks.
	Out-door	In-door.	Discharged.	Absented	Died.	Remaining under treatment.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
							Rs. A. P.		
Kennedy Hospital	18193	240	185	42	6	7	5456-13- 3	186.1	
Bibi Bahu Begam Saheb's Free Dispensary ...	12233	...	....	...	...	...	4317- 6-10	119.8	
Zenana Hospital	5502	...	....	...	...	...	1904-12- 2	78.8	
Tarapur Dispensary ...	4133	...	...	...	...	...	892-11- 0	88.4	
Varasada Do.	4534	...	...	...	...	...	633- 9- 9	51.9	
Total ...	44595	240	185	42	6	7	13205- 5- 0	525.0	

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Appendix XXIV.

VITAL STATISTICS of the CAMBAY STATE for the year 1917-18.

Name.	Population.	Births.		Increase.	Decrease.	Deaths.		Increase.	Decrease.	Ratio per 1000 of population.				Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.			Past year.	Present year.			Births.		Deaths.		
										Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Cambay City... ...	28134	851	954	103	...	1511	1032	...	479	30.25	33.91	53.7	36.68	
Do. Villges	44522	1704	1918	214	...	1787	1967	180	...	38.27	43.08	40.13	44.18	
Total ...	72656	2555	2872	317	...	3298	2999	180	479	34.26	39.53	46.91	41.28	

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Appendix XXV.

PARTICULARS of the SCHOOLS MAINTAINED by the CAMBAY STATE, for the year 1917-18.

Number of Schools.		Description of Schools.	Number of pupils on Roll on 31st May.		Daily average attendance.		Expenditure.			Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	High School.	Secondary	Primary.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
							Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	1	Cambay High School...	246	243	233	224	9818	...	...	
1	1	Tarapur A. D. M. English School ...	19	37	30.4	36.4	...	504	...	
28	29	Vernacular Schools in the City and in the District	2544	2340	1811.4	2091.6	...	...	12069	
3	3	Urdu (Madressa) ...	188	151	139.2	96	...	...	1664	
1	1	Sanskrit Shala ...	23	35	13.1	19.2	...	...	198	
1	1	Antyaja Shala ...	30	23	15.4	12.5	...	...	131	
35	36	Total ...	3050	2829	2242.5	2479.7	9818	504	14062	
6	7	Girls' Schools... ...	611	692	434.1	449.8	...	...	4734	
41	43	Grand Total ...	3661	3521	2676.6	2929.5	9818	504	18796	

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BUDGET ESTIMATE of the CAMBAY STATE, for Samvat year 1974 (1917-18).

RECEIPTS.

Items.	Amount.
1	2
	Rs.
1 Land Revenue... ...	338000
2 Law and Justice ...	14790
3 Stamps...	10000
4 Registration	8000
5 Customs	8800
6 Salt Compensation and Nazarana	40455
7 Abkari including Bhang, Ganja and Poisonous Drugs	58630
8 Opium	32000
9 Octroi, Cotton and Import Duties	53000
10 Education and Library	3950
11 Jail	1445
12 Interest on Loans ...	67000
13 Cambay Railway ...	35000
14 Police and Levies ...	150
15 Medical...	70
16 Printing Press	1000
17 P. W. Department ...	6200
18 Miscellaneous	2460
Total Receipts...	680950
Deposits and Advances...	245000
Excluded Fund ...	111360
Total ...	1037310
Opening Balance ...	226762
Grand Total...	1264072

EXPENDITURE.

Items.	Amount.
3	4
	Rs.
1 Darbar Expenses:—	
A. For H. H. the Nawab and H. H. Sikendar Jahan Begam ...	33820
B. Allowances paid to the Nawab's relatives and dependants	107190
C. Provision Department.	58540
D. Miscellaneous ...	17270
2 Pensions	11025
3 Parvarshis	8190
4 Charities or Religious grants	8760
5 Hakdars' allowances ...	4618
6 Police	55724
7 Levies	17929
8 P. W. Department ...	228172
9 Grant-in-aid	40000
10 General Administration.	33092
11 Abkari	16467
12 Opium	12425
13 Registration	607
14 Octroi Duty Establishment	5201
15 Customs & Portcharges.	3445
16 Law and Justice ...	15518
17 Jail	6899
18 Medical charges including Veterinary and Vaccination Departments	17164
19 Education and Library...	38053
20 Printing & Stationery...	2360
21 Tribute paid to the British Government ...	21924
22 Interest on Debts ...	7500
23 Land Revenue	59896
24 Cambay Railway ...	5000
25 Miscellaneous	1480
26 Extraordinary Expenses.	28000
Total ...	866269
Deposits and Advances...	97900
Excluded Funds...	161270
Total ...	1125439
Closing Balance...	138633
Grand Total ...	1264072

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CHAPTER I—General and Political.

There is no change in the area, 350 square miles, and population which according to the census of 1911 is 72,656. The gross revenue on the average of the last five years is Rs 7,14,270 while the land revenue alone for the year under report is Rs. 3,21,933.

2. The general statistics given in this report relate to the period from 1st June 1918 to 31st May 1919; but the financial figures cover the period from 1st November 1917 to 31st October 1918.

3. His Highness Nazmuddaulah Mumtaz-ul-Mulk Mominkhan Bahadur Dilaverjang Nawab Hussein Yavar Khan Bahadur is a Mogal of the Shiah faith; he being a Minor, the State continued to be under British Administration. The Nawab is now 8 years old. A European Governess continued to look after him and take him about upto the end of December 1918. Her services were dispensed with as it was decided to send the Nawab to the Rajkumar College at Rajkot. He joined the College in the beginning of January 1919. The Principal of the College writes very highly of him and he is already a general favourite with the boys of the College. He is quite cheerful at Rajkot and is very good at his lessons. He returned to Cambay during the College vacation on the 1st of May 1919.

The Bismillah of His Highness' sister was celebrated in the month of December 1918.

Tribute.

4. The State pays an annual tribute of Rs. 21,924-4-0 to the British Government.

The King Emperor's Birth-day.

5. The 3rd of June being the birth day of His Imperial Majesty the King-Emperor was observed quietly in conformity with the declared wishes of His Majesty.

Visits of Political Officers.

6. Messrs. J. R. Hood, I. C. S. and J. C. Ker, I. C. S., Political Agents, Kaira, each visited Cambay once during the year.

Changes in Personnel.

7. Mr. Motibhai Ottambhai Patel was appointed Assistant Administrator from the 20th July 1918. He has been holding charge of that office since that date. He has also been appointed President of the Cambay Municipality from 1st October 1918 vice Mr. Ziyauddin Mahomed Usman Maulvi who resigned that post. Mr. Dhanjibhai Motabhai Vakil held the office of Chief Medical Officer upto 30th November 1918, when he retired on pension. In his place Mr. Bhuderdas Bechardas Vora, L. R. C. P., L. R. C. S. (Edin:) L. F. P. & S. (Glasgow) L. M. (Edin) & Glasgow) was appointed from 1st December 1918. The post of Lady Doctor continued vacant for a long time as no suitable candidate for the post was forthcoming; but it has recently been filled up, Miss A. David having been appointed to that post.

CHAPTER II—Administration of Land.

8. The Cambay State consists of 88 villages besides the town of Cambay. Five of these are Inami or alienated and two are Jiwai i. e. held on life tenure. Of the latter, one, Vàsnà, is given for the maintenance of a cousin of His Highness the Nawab, Mirza Mahomed Kulikhan, and the other, Vainaj, to another cousin Mirza Fidaudinkhan. The Survey settlement was introduced in 1893: it will expire in 1923.

Jamabandi.

9. The following comparative statement gives the results of the Jamabandi settlement for the year under report as well as for the previous year:—

Year.	Fixed land revenue.	Miscellaneous land revenue.	Total.
Land Revenue for Samvat 1974 (1st November 1917 to 31st October 1918)...	Rs. 2,99,188	Rs. 69,469	Rs. 3,68,657
Land Revenue for Samvat 1975 (1st November 1918 to 31st May 1919) ...	3,05,408	16,525	3,21,933
Decrease...	...	52,944	46,724
Increase...	6,220	...	...

10. The increase in Fixed Land Revenue is chiefly due to waste lands, bearing an assessment of Rs. 6,990

having been taken up during the year as against a comparatively small area of land resigned during the year.

The decrease in Miscellaneous Land Revenue was due to no revenue having been realised from grazing which was scarce on account of the failure of rain. Wherever there was any grazing available, it was given away free to the people.

Revenue Collection.

11. The Land Revenue due for the year 1918–19 was Rs. 3,21,933 of which Rs. 1,08,377 or nearly 33% was recovered upto 31st May 1919, leaving a balance of Rs. 2,13,556. This 33 per cent collection represents voluntary payments of quit-rents on inam lands and assessment on irrigated fields etc. in the Charoter tract where a fairly good Bajri crop was reaped. Out of this balance Rs. 988/- have been recovered subsequently and a balance of Rs, 2,12,568 stands suspended–the year being one of scarcity.

Licenses for guns continued to be given to agriculturists during the year for protection of irrigated crops from wild animals. Some licenses for guns had also to be given for the protection of person and property from the inroads of armed gangs of dacoits and outlaws which menaced the rural areas as a result of famine conditions.

Outstanding Balance.

12. The balance outstanding at the end of October 1917 for the complete Samvat year 1973 was Rs. 20,718. Adding to this, the balance for the year 1917–18 (Samvat year 1974) of Rs. 13,249, the total outstanding balance at the end of May 1918 was Rs. 33,967. Out of this amount

Rs. 4,395 have been recovered and Rs. 4,294 written off upto the end of May 1919, leaving a balance of Rs. 25,278. Of the amount written off, Rs. 2,950 were remitted under the remission and suspension rules of the State, Rs. 1101 were written off on account of demand of occupancy price having been cancelled and Rs. 243 were written off as irrecoverable.

Waste land.

13. The total area of waste land during the year was 14,770 acres against 17,795 in the previous year. 9,946 acres of these are cultivable and the rest uncultivable. Of this cultivable area, about 9,565 acres remain uncultivated owing to want of cultivators. Outsiders are being induced to take up this land on easy terms and if the land which has already been given out brings profit to the occupants, this area will also be taken up. The total area held on the restricted tenure now comes to 1950 acres. The year under report being one of scarcity was not favourable to the development of the waste areas in the State which have been taken up by outsiders in big lots.

Tagavi Advances.

14. The amount of Tagavi outstanding at the beginning of the year was Rs. 51,557. To this amount Rs. 372 were added as interest. Thus the total stood at Rs. 51,929. During the year, Rs. 55,900 were advanced as Tagavi to 2669 Khatedars. Rs. 35,085 of this sum were advanced for grass, Rs. 3,770 for wells, Rs. 13,335 for Kos Varat, Rs. 445 for seeds and Rs. 3,265 for other objects. Out of the total amount of Rs. 1,07,829, Rs. 1,837 were recovered and Rs. 201 were remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 1,05,791 at the end of May 1919. Since then Tagavi

is being given on a liberal scale for the purchase of bullocks to those agriculturists whose bullocks have died of starvation; much tagavi will also have to be given for wheat seed later in the season.

It may be remarked that the State could not get sufficient wagons to import the necessary grass to save all the cattle. The State got its grass at Rs. 30/- to 33 per 1000 lbs. It was issued to agriculturists in tagavi at Rs. 20/- per 1000 lbs. the difference representing the loss borne by the State. Fairly large quantities of grass were also imported into the State through the Bombay Famine Relief Committee and that also helped to some extent to save the situation.

Local Fund.

15. The Local Fund cess is levied on the Land Revenue assessment at the rate of half an anna in the rupee, Rs. 15,391 were due during the year under report, of which Rs. 6,215 were recovered and Rs. 39/- were remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 9,047 which remained suspended on account of famine conditions. The total Local Fund cess is entirely inadequate for carrying out the usual Local Fund Works not to say anything of the cost of education which ought to be met in part at least from the cess. I am making a separate reference on this subject and if my proposals are approved I hope to be able with the help of the increased revenue to meet the more urgent needs of the people in respect of education, roads etc.

The decrease in the Local Fund Revenue is due to the decrease in Miscellaneous land revenue.

CHAPTER III—PROTECTION.

Legislation.

16. The State has adopted some of the important British Indian Acts in force in the Bombay Presidency. The Bombay Public Conveyances Act, VI of 1863, the Bombay Municipal Servants Act, V of 1890 and the Indian Soldiers (Litigation) Act, IX of 1918 were introduced in this State during the year. Section 61 A of the Bombay District Police Act was also introduced. This State has its own Limitation, Registration, Stamp, Court Fees and Municipal Acts. The boilers of all the factories in this State were examined by the Government Inspector of Steam Boilers N. D. Ahmedabad, in accordance with the arrangement sanctioned by Government.

17. The Laws in force in this State are shown in Appendix II.

(a) Military Force.

18. The State does not maintain any regular Military Force; but what remains of the old irregular levies is shown in Appendix III.

19. The cavalry consists of His Highness The Nawab's Body Guard, 8 in number and is armed with swords only. The remaining 7 continue as flag bearers. The artillery comprises men, kept for firing cannon as salutes on ceremonial occasions and festivals. There are nine guns at present in a serviceable condition. The Infantry (145 men) consisted of the Biradari force. It is divided into two sections-(i) the Tehnatis (Personal servants to Darbar relatives) under His Highness' cousin Mirza Mahomed Kulikhan and (ii) Watch-men of the gates of

the town. These latter are under the Superintendent of Police. Six new men were appointed to replace the old Biradari men under the Superintendent of Police during the year.

20. This irregular force was maintained at a cost of Rs. 16,978, as against Rs. 15,031 in the previous year. The increase is due to the grain compensation allowance granted from 1st March 1918.

(*b*) **Police.**

21. The total strength of the Police Force, including Armed men, was 221 (Vide Appendix IV). The following are the details:—

	Sanctioned Number.	Vacancies.
Armed Men	... 62...	... 4
Sowars	... 19...	... 1
Foot Police	...140...	...21
	221	—26=195

The system of regular patrols by the Sowars continued to be in force and was found to be of great assistance in checking crime on the borders of the State which broke out on the establishment of famine conditions.

22. The maintenance of this Force cost the State Rs. 47,784 against Rs. 43,922 in the previous year. The increase is due to the grant of grain compensation allowance during the year. The ratio of police to population and area per square mile remained the same viz. .3 p. c. and .63 respectively.

Working of the Police.

23. The comparative results of the working of the Police during the year of report and the previous year

are shown in Appendix V. Of the 133 cases reported to the police against 96 last year, 57 went up for trial, 35 were struck off the register under magisterial orders and 41 remained undetected at the end of the year. There was a recrudescence of crime due to scarcity and armed gangs of robbers from across the borders often threatened the safety of the frontier villages. The situation was, however, well kept in hand and it is due to the vigilance of the Police to say that but for their efforts the results might have been much more serious. Patrols by Sowars on the borders of the State were found very useful and considering the frequent reports of serious crime beyond the borders of the State, the Police must be said to have done very well indeed in an exceptionally trying year.

24. Of the 57 cases, sent up for trial, 49 ended in conviction, 1 was compounded and 7 resulted in acquittal.

25. Of the 87 persons, arrested by the Police, 71 were sent up for trial and twelve were released by the Police themselves. The cases of four remained undisposed of at the end of the year. Of the 71 persons sent up for trial, 57 were convicted, 13 were acquitted and the case of one was compounded.

26. The percentage of convictions to arrests (65.52) and that of convictions to committals to Courts (80.28) show considerable variations. The latter shows an improvement on the preceding year's figure. In eight cases eleven accused persons were arrested by the Police and released on bail as it was subsequently found that no case could be proved.

27. Appendix VI gives the values of property stolen and recovered during the year, as compared with the previous year. The percentage of recovery shows

a considerable improvement over previous year; and the value of property stolen increased by nearly 108 per cent. The work of the department was generally satisfactory and great credit is due to the Superintendent of Police and his subordinates for the results of a good year's work.

28. The police force was regularly drilled as usual.

Village Police.

29. The total strength of the Village Police, excluding Mukhis, and Deputy Mukhis during the year was the same as in the previous year viz. 383. It was maintained at a cost of Rs 18,439 in cash and Rs. 415 in land as in the preceding year. The number of Mukhis and Deputy Mukhis remained the same viz 84 and 79 respectively.

(c) Criminal Justice.

30. The details of the working of the Criminal Courts in the State are shown in Appendices VII and VIII.

31. 481 cases, including 5 pending at the close of the preceding year, came up for disposal against 384 during that year. Of these 476 were disposed of leaving a balance of 5 at the close of the year.

32. The total number of persons, involved in these cases was 998, including 5 awaiting trial at the end of the preceding year. The cases of 993 of these were disposed of, leaving 5 awaiting trial at the end of the year.

33. Of these 993 men. 84 were discharged, 335 were convicted, 572 were acquitted either after trial or composition and one old person who was concerned in two different offences died a natural death.

34. Of those convicted, 63 were sentenced to imprisonment only, 17 to imprisonment with fine, 253 to fine only and 2 to whipping.

35. The average duration of cases disposed of by the Magistrate during the year was 5.07 days against 3.23 last year.

Besides these cases, 56 miscellaneous cases came up for disposal before the First Class Magistrate. Of these, 55 were disposed of, leaving one in balance at the end of the year. The total number of persons involved in these cases was 87. The cases of 86 of these were disposed of, leaving one awaiting trial at the end of the year. Two cases under Chapter VIII of the Criminal Procedure Code came up for disposal before the Assistant Administrator and Sub-Divisional Magistrate. Both of them were disposed of during the year. The total number of persons involved in these cases was 3. Two were discharged and one was ordered to furnish security for good behaviour.

The Sessions or Sar Nyayadhish Court.

36. All the 4 cases, committed to the Court of Session during the year against 6 in the previous year, were disposed of. Out of 7 persons involved in these cases, 6 were convicted and 1 was acquitted.

37. The average duration of these cases was 16.7 days against 15.3 last year.

38. Appendix IX shows the working of the Appellate Courts in Criminal cases.

39 29 appeals were filed during the year of report against 35 in the previous year. All of these were dis-

posed of. Three were rejected, the decision of the Lower Courts was confirmed in 15, modified in 5 and reversed in 6,

40. The average duration of these appeals was the same as in the previous year viz. 11 days.

(*d*) **Civil Justice.**

41. Appendix X gives details of the Civil Suits filed in and disposed of by the three Civil Courts viz. the Nyayadhish, the Sar Nyayadhish and Sardars' Courts.

42. 729 cases including 34 pending at the close of the previous year, came up for disposal against 1196 during that year. Of the 729 cases, 677 were disposed of against 1162 in the previous year, leaving a balance of 52.

43. The value of the suits, filed during the year under report was Rs. 52,807 against Rs. 84,235 in the previous year.

44. The average duration of these suits was 72.16 days against 38 last year. The average is raised owing to one case in the Sar Nyayadhish Court of the value of Rs. 7,500 having taken nearly four months for disposal.

Sardars' Court.

45. There was no case during the year for disposal by this Court.

Revenue Court.

46. 58 possessory suits came up for disposal against 44 in the previous year. 55 suits were disposed of and 3 remained pending. 47 cases were tried and 8 were struck off the file. 38 of these cases were examined in the

Administrator's office and in one case the lower court's decision was modified. The work was found to be generally satisfactory.

47. There were 38 rent suits including one of the last year for disposal against 51 in the previous year. 35 of them were disposed of and 3 remained pending. Of the 38 rent suits, 29 were examined in the Administrator's office. The work done appeared to be satisfactory.

Village Panchayats.

48. The number of village panchayats (85) remained the same as during the previous year.

49. They disposed of all the 369 petty criminal cases brought before them against 286 last year.

50. 284 Civil cases, including 54 from the preceding year, came up for disposal before them against 498 in that year. They amicably settled 80 cases and certified 190 as fit for trial in the Civil Courts, leaving 14 undisposed of at the close of the year. The panchayat system is found to work fairly well. It relieves the Courts of a good deal of petty work and saves the people much expense of litigation and above all much of the delay inseparable from Law Courts.

Execution of Decrees.

51. Appendix XI gives details regarding the execution of decrees in the Civil Courts. The year being one of scarcity, the execution of decrees had to be suspended in several cases under the general orders of the Administrator and this accounts for the arrears mentioned in the following paragraph.

52. 436 fresh applications were made which, with 71, the opening balance, made up a total of 507. 381 of these were disposed of, leaving a closing balance of 126.

Civil Appeals.

53. Appendix XII gives details of Civil Appeals filed and disposed of during the year.

54. 64 appeals, 42 first and 22 second, were due for disposal against 97 last year. Of these 42 first and 20 second appeals were disposed of, leaving a balance of 2 second appeals.

55. As to the first appeals disposed of, the decision of the lower court was confirmed in 20, reversed in 7, amended in 12 and 3 cases were compromised.

56. In the second appeals, the decision of the lower court was confirmed in 16, reversed in 2, amended in 1 and one case was compromised.

57. The total value of property, concerned in the appeals, filed during the year, was Rs. 19,729 against Rs. 24,040 last year.

(e) Extradition.

58. The surrender of 17 persons, including 6 from last year, was demanded by this State, twelve from the British Government and five from certain Native States. All of these were surrendered.

59. The surrender of 11 persons, including 2 of the last year, was demanded from this State during the year of report—nine by the British Government and two by some Native States. 9 were surrendered to the British Government and 2 persons remained to be surrendered to the Native States at the end of the year.

(f) Prisons.

60. Appendix XIII gives details of Jail Administration.

61. Of the 126 prisoners in the Jail against 121 last year, 39 were those of the previous year and 87 were admitted during the year of report. 44 of these remained undischarged at the end of the year. Out of the 3 prisoners sent to Thana for being sent for War Service in Mesopotamia, one prisoner was released from the Thana Special Prison on the expiry of his sentence and the remaining two were sent back to this State Jail in March 1919 to undergo the unexpired portion of their sentences. Two short term prisoners were released from the Jail on the auspicious occasion of the Bismilla Ceremony of His Highness the Nawab's sister.

62. The daily average of prisoners during the year of report was 36.8 against 43.4 last year.

63. The Jail was maintained at a cost of Rs. 5,903 against Rs. 5,276 in the previous year. The increase is due partly to special expenditure on the purchase of uniforms for warders etc. and partly to the dearness of provisions.

64. The prisoners are employed in indoor work and weaving carpets, khadis and chadars with fly shuttle and other looms, and are also employed in grinding grain. They do outdoor work at times on Public Works as labourers, under police guards. The value of the work done by them was Rs. 2,172 against Rs. 2,666 in the previous year. The decrease was due to want of suitable employment on outdoor work.

65. Sixteen prisoners were given the benefit of the rules in Chapter 21 of the Jail Manual referring to remissions in consideration of good conduct and efficiency in work entrusted to them. The 2 prisoners who returned from the Thana Prison were given remissions of six months each besides the ordinary remission. One prisoner (Convict Overseer) was given a special remission of 60 days over and above the ordinary remission for good work. The Jail Superintendent granted a special remission of 7 days to one prisoner in addition to the usual remission for doing good work in connection with sewing the garments of prisoners in the Jail. Four male prisoners died of influenza during the year.

(*g*) Registration.

66. Appendices XIV and XV give details of the registration of documents and fees realised.

67. 1372 documents were presented for registration against 998, of which 1371 were registered and one remained unregistered pending enquiry at the close of the year. The total value of the property concerned in these documents amounted to Rs. 6,05,102 against Rs. 4,43,563 last year. There was an increase in documents of sale and mortgage due to famine conditions.

(*h*) Municipal Administration.

68. The Municipal Administration of the town of Cambay was carried on upto the end of October 1918 by a wholly nominated Board. From the 1st November 1918, elective franchise was extended to the Municipality under which it was allowed to elect half the number of its Councillors excluding the President. The Municipality was also given the right of electing its own Vice President subject to the approval of the Administrator

during the year. This post of Vice-President was held by Mr. Chunibhai Manibhai, retired Treasury Officer of this State. The Vice President is also the Chairman of the Managing Committee. The elective franchise being quite new to the people of Cambay, they were found slow to realise its value and take advantage of it; but it is hoped that as time passes they will learn to take better interest in Municipal affairs.

69. The municipal revenue was spent as usual on conservancy and sanitation in the town, the Schools, Hospitals and Dispensaries being maintained by the State.

70. The Municipal Income for Samvat year 1974 (1917-18) was Rs. 43,809 with an opening balance of Rs. 3,497 making a total of Rs. 47,306 available for expenditure against Rs. 39,346 in the previous year as shown in Appendix XVI. A grant of Rs. 25,000 (against Rs. 18000/- in the previous year) was made from the State and hence the increase in the total Municipal income. One metalled road of the length of 1000 yards was made during the year at a cost of Rs. 5,760. Repairs to old roads cost Rs. 2,728. The total length of Municipal roads now comes to 12,570 yards.

When the Schools and dispensaries are wholly maintained by the State, the Municipality should be self supporting in the matters of sanitation and conservancy and such a large grant from the State appears hardly justified.

71. The total expenditure amounted to Rs. 35,214 against Rs. 35,849 last year. Appendix XVI also gives details of the Income and Expenditure of the Nawab Jaffer Ali Khan Water-works which are under municipal management.

CHAPTER IV—Production and Distribution.

Weather and Crops.

72. Appendix XVII gives details of rainfall for the year under report.

73. The fall registered was only 12.83 Inches. The average fall, as given in the Rainfall data for Cambay, is 27.72. The average of the falls of the preceding five years is 34.10.

	Average as per rainfall Data.	Fall in 1918.
June	... 3.89	... 0.31
July	...10.72	... 4.39
August	... 7.82	... 8. 5
September	... 4.40	... 0. 6
October	... 0.71	... 0 0
	Total 27.54	12.81

These figures will show that there was little or no rain in June; in July there was some rain but compared to the rainfall usually recorded in that month in normal years it was quite insufficient. From September onwards the rain totally disappeared with the result that except for the Bajri crop, which in some places was fairly good and in some, yielded only valuable fodder with little or no grain, most crops entirely failed and the year proved to be one of severe scarcity. The tanks remained empty and much difficulty was experienced about water supply both for men and cattle. The Charoter was better favoured than the Bahara and got some Bajri crop and fodder; but the

Bahara tract got no crop whatever except from a few acres here and there which were under irrigation. The outturn of the main crops during the year as compared with that of the last year was as under:—

	1918.		1919.	
	Area.	Yield.	Area.	Yield.
Rice...	... 3442. 5	8 Annas.	35.33	o
Bajri	...17089.36	4 „	20398.34	1 Anna.
Jowar	...15814.14	4 „	11876. 7	Only some fodder.
Cotton	...10603 38	6/8 „	26797.38	o
Wheat	...43104.33	6/8 „	1031.16 (Irrigated)	10 Annas.
Tobacco	... 2107. 3	6 „	1109.21	6/8 „
Bavto Kodra	... 5078.17	8 „	3733.13	o
Oil seeds...	1895.23	2/4 „	744. 1	o
Others	... 539. 1	8 „	282.14 (Irrigated)	8 Annas.

74. The number of irrigation wells and tanks was 1282 and 39 against 1269 and 39 respectively in the previous year. The increase in the number of wells is due to the scarcity of rainfall which induced people to dig new wells for the purpose of raising fodder for their starving cattle.

75. The area of irrigated land during the year was 4907.18 acres as against 1660.29 in the preceding year. The increase is chiefly due to the scarcity. No water was

available in the Kenewal Tank for irrigation; but people took to wells wherever possible and raised foodgrains and fodder which materially helped them in meeting the situation which would otherwise have been very serious on account of the difficulties in importing fodder from outside. The State encouraged this by giving tagavi for Kos varat and seeds to all those agriculturists who were in need of it. Borings were carried out in wells in villages where water supply was defective and grants on a considerable scale were made from the Local Fund for filling troughs for watering cattle.

Wages and Labour.

76. Despite the Scarcity, labour was scarce and wages were higher than in the preceding year, unskilled labourers earning six to ten annas and skilled ones from twelve annas to one rupee and a quarter. The high prices of all food-grains account for this to a certain extent.

77. Appendix XVIII gives the prices of food-grains during the year as compared with the previous year. There was a marked increase in prices throughout, induced doubtless by the failure of local crops and lack of transport facilities. The prices were nearly three times as much as in 1917 in the case of Bajri, Kodra, Gram and Wheat. The price of rice was nearly double, and local Tur also went up in sympathy with the outside markets. Most of the food-grains had to be imported from outside and except on one or two occasions there was no insufficiency of stock in the State. The system of strict control checked profiteering to a large extent.

Agricultural Stock.

78. Appendix XIX gives details of Agricultural Stock. There is a considerable decrease under the head cattle which is specially due to fodder scarcity. As soon as scarcity was apprehended many agriculturists disposed of their surplus cattle; but even amongst those retained some died of starvation as the State could not import sufficient fodder to keep all of them alive owing to its inability to secure the requisite number of Railway wagons. The Rayats strove nobly to keep their agricultural cattle alive. They often went long distances to procure whatever in the shape of fodder they could lay hands on e. g. leaves of trees, prickly pear, sea-weeds and even sweepings from old grass areas, and the fact that the number of bullocks is reduced by only about 3,000, bears testimony to their strenuous efforts in this behalf.

Trade.

79. The sea-borne trade registered at the port of Cambay during the year was valued at Rs. 2,95,835 against Rs. 5,54,151 last year. Last year a large quantity of machinery, cloth, cotton and acids was imported; similarly a large quantity of dates and miscellaneous articles was also imported. On account of high prices and famine conditions these articles were not so much in demand during the year of report.

80. The following figures will show at a glance the volume of trade as compared with the previous year:—

IMPORTS.

	No. of vessels.	Capacity in Khandis.	Value of goods.
			Rs.
1918—19	Laden 238	24853	2,69,617
Do.	Empty 65	1876	...
	Total 303	26729	2,69,617
1917—18	Laden 285	26864	4,19,122
Do.	Empty 51	1427	...
	Total 336	28291	4,19,122

EXPORTS.

	No. of vessels.	Capacity in Khandis.	Value of goods.
			Rs.
1918—19	Laden 88	3428	26,218
Do.	Empty 214	23019	...
	Total 302	26447	26,218
1917—18	Laden 123	6376	1,35,029
Do.	Empty 214	22021	...
	Total 337	28397	1,35,029

Manufactures and Industries.

81. The chief manufactures of Cambay are Cotton and silk fabrics and various articles of agate and cornelian stone. Cotton yarn of various counts and cloth are manufactured in the Nawab of Cambay Mills. The flour mills continued to work as in the preceding year.

82. The total number of hand looms in Cambay was 3145 against 3210 last year. They gave employment to 6166 persons against 6189 last year. About 529 looms were not worked during the year under report. The trade in agate and cornelian stones which in normal times gives employment to about a thousand persons suffered somewhat on account of the War and the famine.

The Dye-house and other Factories.

83. The State Dye-house continued to work as usual.

84. The Nawab of Cambay Mills worked throughout the year. During 9 months and 26 days of active work excluding holidays and the days when the Mill was closed owing to the out-break of Influenza, 2137 bales of yarn, weighing 8,54,800 lbs. were produced against 3094 bales weighing 12,37,600 lbs. The Dye-house in this Mill also continued its work and dyed 8 bales of cotton yarn against 129 bales last year. This Dye-house worked during the year simply to supply the necessary materials for the weaving department of the Mill. Out of 264 looms in the weaving department in the Mill, about 244 were working during the year. They used up 3,17,189 lbs. of yarn turning out cloth, weighing 3,56,396 lbs. Cloth of the value of Rs. 7,79,543 was sold during the year. The average number of workmen employed in this department was 107 per day; while in spinning, dyeing etc. the

number employed was 701 per day. The sanitary, medical and housing arrangements for the Mill labourers continued to be fairly satisfactory. Efforts are also being made to impart elementary instruction to the children of labourers living in the Mill chawls.

85. The management of the Mill continued in the hands of the Agents, Secretaries and Treasurers, Messrs. Maganlal Harilal & Co. Very recently the Agents have secured the services of a fully qualified Manager under whose supervision the Mill, it is hoped, will make good profits.

86. The Mill has a ginning factory attached to it and its 20 gins, out of 34 erected, turned out 382 bales of cotton against 120 last year, when 10 gins were working. This factory worked for 59 days, owing to the failure of the local cotton crop. The other two ginning factories at Cambay turned out 1925 bales of ginned cotton against 2099 bales last year. Most of the cotton ginned was brought from outside the State.

Public Works.

87 Appendix XX gives details of the Public Works executed from the State and Local Funds during the Samvat year 1974 (1917-18). The item of Rs. 73079 on buildings includes Rs. 2805 for extension of the Main Vernacular School, Rs. 4869 for extension of the Mandai Girls' School, Rs 7264 for the Furja godowns, Rs. 5402 for the State Engineer's quarters, Rs 18,831 for the Dantarwada Vernacular School, Rs. 12,433 for the Gowara Girls' School, Rs. 3019 for the compound of the Mandai Main Vernacular School, Rs 2085 for the Kalamsar Police Gate, Rs. 10332 for the District Dak Bungalow

with stables and outhouses at Valli, Rs. 1839 for Chora construction and Rs. 4200 for other miscellaneous works. Out of the amount of Rs. 20291 for wells &c, a sum of Rs. 5422 was spent on the Kenewal Tank in Valli, Rs. 12,536 on improvements to the Alang Channel, Rs. 3603 on the Vank Tank at Daloli and Rs. 1984 on the Mehmedabad Tank. During the year the District Dak Bungalow at Valli near the Kenewal Tank was completed, the outhouses and stables of which are in course of construction. Among other new buildings completed are the quarters for the State Engineer, an extension block for Girls' School Branch No. 1 (now the Main Girls' School) and Police Lines at Kalamsar. The work of rebuilding 4 godowns at the Foorja was also completed. Owing to the difficulties in obtaining materials and labour the work of constructing new buildings for Boys' School Branch No. 1 and for Girls' School Branch No. II which were commenced during the year 1917–18 are still incomplete. It is however expected that they will be completed before the current financial year expires. The Alang channel from the Northernmost limits to the Kenewal Tank is now put in proper repairs. The scope of the utility of the Kenewal Tank is extended by distributaries the earth-work of which with one exception is completed, while masonry regulating works are in progress.

Labour continued to be scarce and although famine conditions prevailed, there were not more than 250 ordinary labourers engaged on Public Works at any one time. Two ordinary works–one at Valli and another at Daloli–were opened for the relief of labourers but both of them had to be closed as they did not fill.

Cambay Railway.

88. The total gross earnings of the Tarapur Cambay

Railway during the year ending March 1919 amounted to Rs. 72,605 against Rs. 64,122 in the corresponding previous year, while the net receipts excluding working expenses charged by the B. B. & C. I. Railway to the State amounted to Rs. 39,778 against Rs. 35,402 in the previous year.

89. The total amount invested by the State in the construction of the line, including the Bunder siding amounted to Rs. 8,80,538 according to the B. B. & C. I. Railway account upto 31st March 1919. The extension of the siding to the Bunder head has cost the State Rs. 1,95,630 bringing the total cost to the State to Rs. 10,76,168.

General condition of the State and the people.

90. The rainfall was very meagre and consequently the year proved to be one of severe scarcity. All crops except Bajri had entirely failed. As regards the Bajri crop it yielded valuable fodder and also some grain in some places in the Charoter tract. In Bahara villages there was practically no crop. Thus there was scarcity of both grain and fodder. These had to be imported from outside and as their prices had gone up enormously and considerable difficulty was experienced in obtaining railway wagons, the condition of the agriculturists was very injuriously affected. Out of the land revenue demand of Rs. 3,21,933 for the year, Rs. 1,08,377 was collected from Inamdars and others who raised valuable irrigated crops and made voluntary payments. The rest of the amount of Rs. 2,13,556 was kept as suspended land revenue. Out of this sum Rs. 988 have been subsequently recovered, and an amount of Rs. 10,921 has been remitted on account of water rate on rice land.

As regards the arrears on account of previous years, an amount of Rs. 4,294 was written off, leaving a balance of Rs. 25,278 to be recovered against Rs. 33,967 in the previous year.

At the beginning of the year, the outstandings on account of Tagavi were Rs. 51,929; but the season having failed fresh tagavi was advanced to the extent of Rs. 55,900 for Kos varat, seeds, fodder etc. before the end of May, raising the total outstanding debt to Rs. 1,07,829. Out of this Rs. 201 were remitted, Rs. 1,837 were collected and the balance on this account stood at Rs. 1,05,791.

Licenses to possess arms (guns) continued to be given to agriculturists for crop protection. This has given them considerable relief.

Although there was a widespread failure of crops there were no signs of distress among the population. Gratuitous relief to the infirm etc. and relief to Village Servants was given in accordance with the Famine Relief Code. The activities of the State were supplemented by private effort. A local Famine Relief Fund was started and controlled by a committee of officials and non-officials. A sum of Rs. 15000 was collected. It was spent in supplying fodder cheaply, in giving free clothing to the poor, in maintaining a poor house and Kitchen near Cambay and in giving relief to respectable people who would not or could not take advantage openly of the State system of doles. Three cheap grain shops were opened in the town by Messrs. Keshvalal Lallubhai, Jugaldas Jagannath and Patel Parbhudas Bhikharidas. The former also distributed some cloth at cheap rates and supplied fodder to poor people. The year was principally one of distress to the cattle and it must be said to the credit of the agriculturists

that they did their very best to supplement the help which the State could give them, to save as many of their valuable animals as possible. Relief works attracted but few workers and even ordinary works suffered for want of labourers. A bad epidemic of influenza had levied a heavy toll of human life and the staying power of those that were left behind was sufficient to withstand the effects of a year of scarcity. It is to be hoped that the people will take this latest lesson to heart and make sufficient provision against a bad year for their cattle also in future. For the animals belonging to the Darbar it is proposed to lay in a stock of grass that will last for two years in the beginning of the next fair season, and to maintain it in future years also.

Revenue and Rent Paying Classes.

91. There is nothing calling for special remarks under this head.

92. The number of transfers of occupancy rights recorded in the Revenue Registers during the year was 229 against 175 in the previous year. The land so transferred was assessed at Rs. 3,998 against Rs. 3,250 last year. The number of mortgages and sales of land was 429 and 198 respectively of the total value of Rs. 1,74,092 against 227 and 140 valued at Rs. 86,106 in the previous year. The increase was largely due to Scarcity.

Out of the total area of 149 acres, assessed at Rs. 757 which changed hands between agriculturists and non-agriculturists, 71 acres, assessed at Rs. 297, have gone from agriculturists to Sowkars; while 78 acres, assessed at Rs. 460, were transferred from Sowkars to Agriculturists. The difference is small; but the excess is on the right side.

93. The total number of suits about land was 101 of which 96 were for recovery of rent and 5 for ejectment of tenants against 95 and 24 respectively last year.

CHAPTER V—Revenue and Finance.

94. A comparative statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the years ending 31st October 1917 and 31st October 1918 is embodied in Appendix XXII.

95. The total receipts for the year 1917–18 amounted to Rs. 7,93,774 against Rs. 8,12,836 in the previous year, showing a decrease of Rs. 19,062. The total ordinary expenditure amounted to Rs. 6,46,720 against Rs. 6,22,070 showing an increase of Rs. 24,650. The closing balance of the year 1917–18 was Rs. 12,85,587.

96. On the receipt side, the bulk of the decrease is under the following heads:—

	Rs.
(*a*) Land Revenue	...30,395
(*b*) Interest on loans	... 5,021
(*c*) Cambay Railway	... 5,037
(*d*) Customs ...	... 4,968
(*e*) P. W. Department	... 1,702
(*f*) Law and Justice	... 1,562
(*g*) Jail	... 494

There are five items (Rs. 15,075, 6,540, 2,391, 4,001 and 1,672) of increase under the heads 'Abkari, Opium, Octroi duties, Miscellaneous and Registration.'

97. On the expenditure side, there was a decrease of Rs. 28,219 under the following main heads:—

	Rs.
(*a*) Darbar expenses...	...4,042
(*b*) Charities etc. ...	...1,322
(*c*) Law and Justice...	...2,204
(*d*) Land Revenue etc.	...8,459
(*e*) Cambay Railway...	...8,061
(*f*) Extraordinary ...	...4,131

The main items of increase are Police (3,862), Levies (1,947), P. W. Department (15,912), Grant-in-aid (20,000), General Administration (4,706), Abkari (1,497), and Education and Library (1,896).

98. The State has no boats of any kind now. The two old ones referred to last year as useless for sailing purposes have been disposed of during the year.

99. The salt and opium arrangements remained unaltered. The term of the contract with Messrs. Dalals, Vakil, Kothawala & Co., Government Liquor Contractors at Godhra, for one year having expired on the 31st March 1919, they undertook to supply duty free country liquor to this State for a further period of three years from 1st April 1919 at Re. 1-4-0 per gallon of L. P. liquor.

The sale of Massala liquor in this State was discontinued from the 1st April 1919, as its consumption here was very limited. Only 30° U. P. liquor is now being sold throughout the State. The arrangement to import liquor from the Godhra Distillery continued as during the

past year and has resulted in a profit of Rs. 14,673 over the previous year. The total consumption of liquor during the year 1917–18 was 19807 gallons.

The open auction system was introduced in regard to country liquor shops located in Cambay town with effect from the 1st April 1919 and the right to vend liquor without restriction on prices at these shops fetched Rs. 42,700 for each of the two years for which the right was sold. The shops were sold to entirely different licensees.

CHAPTER VI—Medical Services.

100. There are 6 medical institutions in the State viz: (1) The Kennedy Hospital, (2) The Bibi Bahu Begam Saheb Free Dispensary, (3) The Diamond Jubilee Zenana Hospital, (4) The Tarapur and (5) Varasda Dispensaries and (6) The Veterinary Dispensary in Cambay. Relief at these institutions is being given absolutely free, no charge even for medicines being made. All these institutions are largely availed of by the people of Cambay town and villages.

101. The average daily attendance of patients in the Zenana Hospital was 51.1. This institution which should be popular in a place with such a large Mahomedan population was without a Lady Doctor for a long time. The services of a Lady Doctor have recently been secured for it and it is hoped that the Hospital will now regain its popularity among the females of the town.

All the hospitals and dispensaries did good work during the Influenza epidemic; in addition, arrangements

were made for the distribution of free medicines to those attacked by influenza at their own houses in the town.

102. The details of the medical relief afforded by these institutions except the Veterinary Dispensary, are shown in Appendix XXIII.

103. The total number of patients treated in these institutions was 42,516 against 44,835 last year.

104. The total number of surgical operations performed during the year was 691 against 680 last year; of these 39 were major and 652 minor.

105. The two vaccinators continued to work under the supervision of the Chief Medical Officer as usual. One of them worked in the town and the other in the villages. 2,005 children against 2,058 last year were vaccinated.

Veterinary Dispensary.

106. 6,420 animals were treated against 7,040 in the previous year.

107. The total number of surgical operations performed upon animals was 489 against 331 of the previous year. Of these 182 were major and 307 minor.

108. All these six institutions were maintained at a total cost of Rs. 15,006 against Rs. 14,297 in the previous year.

Vital Statistics.

109. Appendix XXIV gives details of births and deaths in the State during the year ending 31st May 1919.

110. The total number of births, registered during the year was 2,004 against 2,872, giving a birth rate of 27.58 per mille against 39.53 in the previous year.

111. The total number of deaths, registered during this year, was 4,145 against 2,999 in the preceding year, giving a death rate of 57.05 per mille against 41.28 last year. The birth rate in the City has gone down and the death rate has gone up as compared with the previous year. In rural areas births similarly show a decrease and deaths an increase. The increase in deaths is mainly due to the out-break of Influenza both in the City and villages. The total number of deaths from influenza in the City was 612 and in the villages 1,527, giving a rate of 21.75 and 34.29 per mille respectively.

CHAPTER VII—EDUCATION.

112. Appendix XXV shows the number and nature of the Educational Institutions maintained by the State and the expenditure incurred on them. The figures of expenditure are for the year ending 31st October 1918.

113. The number of schools at the end of May 1919 was 44 against 43 in the previous year. This increase is due to the opening of a Girls' School at Sayama. The number of pupils studying in these schools was 3,814 against 3,521 in the preceding year. The increase is mostly due to fresh admissions.

114. Of the 10 students, sent up for the School Leaving Certificate Examination from the High School, 6 passed, 2 of them getting distinction in Mathematics. This result is satisfactory. The average daily attendance showed

a decrease on the whole which is attributable to the influenza epidemic and famine conditions generally.

115. Besides these State schools, there were 13 private schools, teaching elementary Gujrati. 310 students attended these schools. 10 schools taught the Koran, Arabic and Urdu with a little Gujrati in some. 14 Parsi children received instruction from their priest. One night school opened by the Cambay Education Society for teaching English continued to work during the year. 79 students attended this school.

116. The Veda-Shâlâ and the Jain Girls' School continued to receive State-aid as usual. The number of children, attending these institutions was 27 and 106 respectively. English also continued to be taught along with other subjects in this Girls' School. Four vernacular Schools for the depressed classes were recognised by the State according to the Grant-in-aid Code during the year. These together with two schools recognised last year raise the number of such schools to six.

117. Primary Education in village schools is entirely free. No fees are charged to students attending the Girls' Schools, the Madressa and the Sanskrit School in Cambay town also.

118. Two vernacular teachers, one deputed last year for further study at the P. R. Training College for Men, Ahmedabad, and the other newly deputed this year, received scholarship for study in the Second Year Class. This year two new vernacular teachers deputed for further study in the Special First Year Class also received scholarships. Two teachers one of whom was deputed newly for

further study in the Third Year Class and the other who was promoted to the Third Year Class having passed the Second Year's Examination also received scholarships. One female teacher in the Urdu Girls' School was deputed to the Aligarh Mahomedan Girls' School for further study with a monthly stipend of Rs. 15. Thus there are seven vernacular teachers (6 male and 1 female) in all under training, who are in receipt of State stipends. One student who passed the Third Year Examination of the Female Training College at Ahmedabad was given service in the State Educational Department. At present there is no female student from this State in the College.

This year the scale of these State scholarships was brought on a level with that in British Districts and raised to Rs. 12. The scholarship which fell vacant on account of the success of the State Scholar at the Bachelor of Commerce Examination has been awarded to another student from this State studying for the Degree of M. B. B. S. One female student sent up for taking a course in midwifery and nursing at the Victoria Jubilee Hospital, Ahmedabad, continued to receive her scholarship.

119. Nine and two candidates that appeared at the Elementary and Intermediate Grade Drawing Examinations respectively were all declared successful in the examinations. Six students appeared at the London Chamber of Commerce Examination in Book-keeping and Accountancy of whom two were declared successful.

120. The total cost of education in the State, including scholarships, was Rs. 34,043 against Rs. 30,198 last year. The fee receipts for the year were Rs. 3,691 against Rs. 3,737 last year.

121. The annual examinations of both the English and Vernacular Schools were held as usual. The results were satisfactory. The result of the English School was 52% of passes against 41% last year and that of the Vernacular Schools was 64.1% against 46.1. The percentage of students in State Schools to population was the same as in the preceding year i. e. 4.8. The staff has been improved by the addition of 10 trained teachers—6 first year, 2 second year and 2 third year. One third year trained female teacher has also been added during the year. Lessons in English continued to be given in the Main Girls' School and the Urdu Madressa. At present 6 male teachers in all are being trained at the P. R. Training College and one girl student at the Aligarh Mahomedan Girl's School. Scholarships of Rs. 5 per month each were given in the upper standards in the High School for the first time on the results of the terminal and annual examinations during the year. The scheme has tended to improve the general standard of work in the High School. The year being one of scarcity the enforcement of compulsion had generally to be suspended temporarily. Compulsion will be introduced in a few more schools in a short time. In villages education is also encouraged by giving class books free to those boys who pass the annual examination.

From the 1st May the pay and prospects of primary teachers in the State have been materially improved, and brought almost on a level with those prevailing in British districts. The Vernacular Final Men are to be started on Rs. 12 to rise to Rs. 20, the first year trained on Rs. 15 rising to Rs. 25, the second year trained on Rs. 20 rising to Rs. 35 and the third year trained on Rs. 25 rising to Rs. 50. All of them get the face value

of their certificates to start with. This improvement effected in a year of distress like the present has created general satisfaction among the teaching staff.

The control of the City Schools has been transferred to the Head Master of the High School; while that of the village schools to the Vahivatdar. The village primary schools ordinarily teach only the first two or three standards. All revenue officers of the rank of Circle Inspector and above have been entrusted with the work of inspecting these schools on their usual visits to the villages concerned. The Vahivatdar here has no magisterial work to do and under the standing orders has to tour for 20 days in a month. As such, he is best fitted to control and supervise these schools. Similarly the Head Master of the Cambay High School is selected as being one who is educationally best qualified to supervise and keep control over the City Primary Schools which require a higher standard of supervision. This change is, however, only experimental and its results will be carefully watched. The post of Shaladhikari as it was before these changes were effected did not ensure proper control, specially of the City Schools.

CHAPTER VIII—Miscellaneous.

122. The State records have been classified and arranged in proper order. The useless records of the Administrator's office are being separately sorted for destruction. Some of the useless papers have already been destroyed.

The Darbar Press.

123. The Darbar Press was worked as usual and it

cost the State Rs. 972 as against Rs. 784 last year. Mr. Jatashanker Ravishanker continued to work throughout the year as Press Manager and has tried to do his best. The Cambay Gazette, issued under the authority of the Darbar, was printed and published from this Press as hitherto. The printing of all forms required in the various offices of the State, the printing of the Annual Administration Report and other miscellaneous work are done at the Press. During the year one Treadle machine was supplied to the Press which has greatly facilitated the printing work. Some other machinery and type required for the Press are gradually being supplied.

Library.

124. The reading room of the Lord Reay Library continued to be kept up as a free institution for the public. The number of subscribers to the Library during the year was 20 against 24 last year. The total cost of maintaining the Library was Rs. 598 of which 463 were contributed by the State and Rs. 135 were raised as subscriptions.

125. The Library continued to be supplied, free of charge, with some parts of the Bombay Government Gazette, Government printed reports on various subjects and Press Notes as in previous years; and the concession is greatly appreciated.

Conclusion.

126. The almost total failure of rain during the last two months of the rainy season coinciding with a widespread epidemic of influenza established conditions which might easily have become serious. Local stocks of grain had run short and the whole population was

dependent on what could be got from outside at a time when transport difficulties were enormous. Thanks, however, to a judicious system of control, imports kept pace with the local demand for most kinds of food-grains and except on one or two occasions no difficulty was experienced. Measures of relief were immediately taken. Large suspensions were announced. Tagai was given on a liberal scale, charitable relief was started and test relief works were opened. A local Famine Committee was formed, a Poor house was opened in Cambay and provision was made for providing fodder to cattle coming into Cambay on their way to more favoured tracts. That in a year like this no State relief works should have been required is ample testimony to the yearly growing staying power of the people. Those who wanted work found sufficient employment and even the ordinary works of the Public Works Department were unable to secure sufficient labourers. Several of such works in the year's budget had accordingly to stand over.

The greatest anxiety of the year was fodder for cattle. With the best of wills, it was not possible to import as much grass as was required, for there were grave difficulties in the way of securing Railway wagons to bring it into the State. However, all the wagons which could be secured were utilised to bring in grass much of which was distributed to agriculturists in the shape of Tagai. The agriculturists themselves took to irrigation with the help of Tagai and raised as much fodder as possible. One notable feature of the year was the voluntary assistance rendered by some of the public spirited gentlemen of the State who opened cheap grain shops which proved a great boon to the poor. The existence of these shops and the

effective system of price-control which was established served to keep down prices. Control over Kerosene oil continued during the year and the Salt depôt opened by the State last year was closed only when there was no longer any difficulty in obtaining sufficient supplies of salt.

Most of the time and energy of the officers of the State was devoted to meeting the difficult situation that had arisen and the year itself was hardly propitious for large public works or administrative improvements. It is to be hoped that it will be possible to undertake several works of public utility during the current year. Some of the public works carried out have already been referred to. Tarapur has now secured a fine new building for its Girls' School, and foundation was laid during the year of a new building for its English School the scope of which has recently been extended by the introduction of the 4th standard and the appointment to it of a graduate as Head Master. The experiment of teaching English in the higher standards of the Gujrati School was also started there during the year. The lowest grade of Karkuns has been raised to Rs. 15 per mensem and that of Talatis to Rs. 12. It is not always possible in small States to keep pace with the improvements effected in British Districts in the pay of the subordinate establishment but whatever is possible is being done in this behalf as the lot of men on fixed salaries is specially hard in years like these. As stated already the salaries of teachers in primary schools have been placed on a satisfactory basis during the year and every effort is being made to turn the Main Boys' School at Cambay into a model school.

The appointment of an Assistant Administrator during the year has given much needed relief to the Administrator

in the matter of a mass of routine work. Mr. M. O. Patel who was appointed to the post has worked hard and put in a good year's work.

The financial position of the State continues satisfactory. The details of the invested capital are as under:—

	Rs.
English War Loan £ 6500 (face value)	... 97,500
Indian War Bonds face value	...200,000
Government of India 3½% loan face value	...335,000
Do. Do. 4 % Do. Do.	... 33,800
Shares in the Nawab of Cambay Mills face value	...200,000
Deposit with the Nawab of Cambay Mills	...300,000
Treasury Bills	...100,000
Fixed Deposit with the National Bank of India	... 25,000
Debentures of the Willingdon Sports Club	... 10,000
Total	Rs. 13,01,300

The State contributed Rs. 5000 towards the Imperial Indian Relief Fund, Rs. 1200 including a popular contribution of Rs. 700 towards the Silver Wedding Fund, Rs. 300 towards Seamen's Institute building and Endowment Fund. The State also continued to contribute Rs. 50 every month upto December 1918 towards the East Indies Station Naval Fund. The total contributions to the 2nd Indian War Loan from this State amounted to Rs. 3,81,000. The Darbar contributed in all Rs. 1,50,000

and Rs. 2,31,000 were invested in the Loan by the people and officials of the State. This little State may well congratulate itself on the splendid response it made to the Second Indian War Loan.

The State continued to take all possible steps for securing recruits, and besides giving inducements of a good bonus to recruits and recruiters had employed a recruiter of its own for some time.

The signing of the Armistice, the news of the signing of the Peace Treaty and the day of Peace Celebrations in the Empire were all celebrated in the State with the greatest rejoicings. The monsoon is so far quite satisfactory and it looks as if the conclusion of Peace is going to usher in a period of agricultural prosperity.

CAMBAY,
4th August, 1919.

V. K. NAMJOSHI,
Administrator.

APPENDICES.

Appendix I.

NAMES of HIGH OFFICIALS in the CAMBAY STATE, showing changes in personnel during the year 1918–19.

No.	Names of Officers.	Appointment.	Period. From.	Period. To.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Mr. V. K. Namjoshi, B. A. ...	Administrator	1—6—18	31—5—19	
2	„ Motibhai Ottambhai Patel, B. A....	Assistant Administrator ...	20—7—18	31—5—19	
3	„ Manibhai Gulabbhai Desai, B.A., LL.B.	Sar Nyayadhish	1—6—18	31—5—19	
4	„ Jagannath Sagoon Rege	Superintendent of Police ...	1—6—18	31—5—19	
5	„ Ziyauddin Mahomed Usman Maulvi High Court Pleader 1910. ...	First Class Magistrate ...	1—6—18	31—5—19	
6	„ Chunilal Shyamji Trivedi, High Court Pleader 1909.	Nyayadhish	1—6—18	30—11—18	Retired on pension.
7	„ Dhanjibhai Motabhai Vakil ...	Chief Medical Officer... ...			
	„ Bhudhardas Bechardas Vora L. R. C. P., L. R. C. S. (Edin.) L. F. P. and S. (Glasgow) L. M. (Edin. and Glasgow)	Do	1-12—18	31—5—19	
8	„ Hiralal Ranchhoddas L. M. & S....	Bibi Bahubegam Saheb free Dispensary Doctor... ...	1—6—18	31—5—19	
		Veterinary Assistant	1—6—18	31—5—19	
9	„ A. F. Quadros	State Engineer...	1—6—18	31—5—19	
10	„ Jehangir Rustomji Jussawalla B. E. (Civil)				
11	„ Damodar Narayan Limaye B. SC. B. E. (Civil)	Assistant Engineer	1—6—18	31—5—19	

12	Mirza Fatehalikhan	Daroga of Import Duty ...	1—6—18	31—5—19
13	R. S. Mohanlal Bapulal Rawal ...	Treasury Officer	1—6—18	31—5—19
14	Mr. Maganlal Bhailal Desai ...	Vahivatdar	1—6—18	31—5—19
15	„ Bhogilal Nagindas Shah M. A., S. T. C. D...	Head Master, High School ...	1—6—18	31—5—19

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Appendix II.

LIST of LAWS in force in the CAMBAY STATE.

Description.	Whether adapted from British Act.	Introduced during year under report.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4
Indian Penal Code	Yes.	Introduced in previous years.	
Indian Criminal Procedure Code ...	,,		
Indian Evidence Act	,,		
The New Indian Civil Procedure Code...	,,		
Abkari Act	,,		
Salt Act...	,,		
Opium Act	,,		
District Police Act	,,		
Gambling Act	,,		
Mamalatdar Courts Act...	,,		
Tariff Act	,,		
Post Office Act	,,		
Limitation Act	,,		
Registration Act	,,		
Stamp Act	,,		
Court Fees Act...	,,		
Indian Companies Act	,,		
The explosives Act of 1908	,,		
Cambay Municipal Act	,,		
An Act for the Protection of Wild Birds and Animals	,,		
Factory Act	,,		
Insolvency Act	,,		
Rules under the Deccan Agriculturist Relief Act	,,		
Lunatic Asylums Act (XXXVI) of 1858	,,		
The Official Secrets Act...	,,		
The Bombay Public Conveyances Act VI of 1863		Yes.	
The Bombay Municipal Servants Act V of 1890		,,	
The Indian Soldiers (Litigation) Act No. IX of 1918		,,	

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Appendix III.

STATEMENT showing the STRENGTH, COST and other particulars of the MILITARY FORCE in the CAMBAY STATE, 1918-1919.

Arm of Service.	Number of Fighting Officers and Men.						Details of Force at the end of the current year.						Total cost on account of pay and allowances of the force, including followers.	Remarks.
	At the end of the last year.	Recruited this year.	Casualties.			At the end of the current year.	Number of Regiments, Battalions or Batteries.	Number of guns.	Number of men.					
			Died.	Invalided.	Discharged, deserted &c.				European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
Cavalry ...	15	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	1	14	Rs. 16,978-0-0	
Artillery ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	9	...	...	...	1		
Infantry ...	147	26	6	7	15	145	...	...	...	...	...	145		
Total ...	163	26	6	7	15	161	...	9	...	...	1	160		

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Appendix IV.

STATEMENT showing the STRENGTH, COST, DISCIPLINE and EDUCATION of the POLICE for the year 1918–19.

Description of Officers.	Number.	Pay of the Grade.	Total Cost.	Punishments.			Rewards.		Education.		Remarks.
				Dismissed.	Fined, degraded or suspended departmentally.	Punished judicially.	By promotion.	By money.	Number able to read and write.	Number under Instruction.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Rs.									
Police Superintendent ...	1	300		...	...	...	...	...	1	...	‡ The Police Sowars get Rs. 20 p.m. each as Horse allowance besides their pay from Rs. 12 to 15. They also enjoy a concession to buy grass at Rs. 5/- per 1000 lbs. On account of the dearness of provisions they are given an additional temporary allowance at Rs. 3/- p. m. each.
Chief Constables ...	2	50 to 60		...	...	.	1	...	...	...	
Naib Fouzdars	2	25 to 30		...	...	...	...	...	2	...	
Minor Police Officers. (foot)..	26	14 to 20		...	7	...	9	4	23	...	
Police Constables	109	10 to 12		...	31	2	4	1	58	...	
Chief Mounted Police Officer.	1	40		...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Police Sowars	18	12 to 15‡	Rs. 47,784–0–0	...	9	...	...	2	15	...	
Armed Police Officer ...	1	30		...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Minor Armed Police Officers.	6	14 to 20		...	1	...	1	3	6	...	*Though there are 62 armed police men there are only 29 serviceable guns.
Armed Police Constables ...	55	10 to 12		...	27	...	...	3	27	...	

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Appendix V.

STATEMENT showing the working of the POLICE in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1918—19.

State.	Number of offences.		Number of accused arrested.		Number of accused sent for trial.		Number of accused convicted.		Number of accused acquitted or discharged.		Percentage of convictions (Cols. 3 & 5).		Percentage convicted of accused sent for trial.		Remarks.
	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	9
Cambay	96	133	78	87	77	71	57	57	18	14	73.0	65.52	74.0	80.28	

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Appendix VI.

STATEMENT showing the VALUE of PROPERTY STOLEN and AMOUNT of RECOVERIES in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1918—19.

State.	Amount stolen.		Amount recovered.		Percentage of recoveries of property stolen.		Remarks.
	Past year.	Present year	Past year.	Present year	Past year.	Present year	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Cambay...	3,857	8,028	1,776	5,851	46.05	72.88	

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APPENDIX VII.

Appendix

STATEMENT showing the Number of CRIMES COMMIT-
AWAITING TRIAL in the CAMBAY

Number.	Description of Offences.	Number of Offences.			Number of cases disposed of during past year.	Number of cases disposed of during present year.	Number of persons apprehended.	Number of persons convicted.
		Balance from past year.	Committed during the present year.	Total.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	A. Under Indian Penal Code.							
1	Offences of Abetment	...	4	4	...	4	5	5
2	Offences against Public Tranquility ...	...	19	19	7	19	65	65
3	Offences by or relating to Public Servants	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Contempts of lawful authority of Public Servants	...	2	2	4	2	2	2
5	False Evidence and offences against Public Justice	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
6	Offences relating to Weights & Measures	...	...	...	6	...	...	...
7	Offences affecting the Public Health, Safety Convenience, Decency or Morals ...	...	3	3	7	3	5	4
8	Offences affecting the Human Body ...							
	(*a*) Affecting life	1	3	4	2	4	4	3
	(*b*) Of Hurt	...	78	78	111	78	214	13
	(*c*) Of Wrong Restraint	...	5	5	1	5	11	3
	(*d*) Of Criminal Force and Assault ...	...	7	7	7	7	18	1
	(*e*) Of Kidnapping and abduction ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(*f*) Of Rape	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(*g*) Of Abortion	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(*h*) Of Unnatural Intercourse	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Offences against Property:—							
	(*a*) Of Theft	1	24	25	22	25	31	25
	(*b*) Of Extortion	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(*c*) Of Robbery and Decoity	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	(*d*) Of Criminal Misappropriation of Property	...	8	8	...	8	14	3
	(*e*) Of Criminal Breach of Trust ...	1	5	6	1	5	6	3
	(*f*) Of the Receiving of Stolen Property.	...	4	4	1	4	6	3
	(*g*) Of Cheating	...	3	3	9	3	4	1
	(*h*) Of Mischief...	...	28	28	25	28	80	2
	(*i*) Of Criminal Trespass	...	16	16	3	16	27	16
10	Offences relating to Documents and to Trade or Property marks	1	1	2	...	...	2	...
11	Offences relating to Marriage	1	22	23	21	22	30	...
12	Defamation	...	4	4	7	4	10	...
13	Criminal Intimidation, Insult and Annoyance	...	105	105	84	104	256	5
	Total ...	5	341	346	320	341	790	154

VII.

TED, number of CASES DISPOSED OF and CASES STATE, during the year 1918–19.

Number of persons sentenced.							Number of persons acquitted or discharged.	Number of persons confined being insane.	Number of persons died during or before trial.	Terms of Imprisonment.											Remarks.
Imprisonment.		Imprisonment and fine.		Fine only.	Whipping.	Total.				Under 1 month.	From 1 to 2 months.	From 2 to 3 months.	From 3 to 6 months.	From 6 to 12 months.	From 1 to 2 years.	From 2 to 3 years.	From 3 to 5 years.	Above 5 year.	Life imprisonment.	Capital punishment.	Awaiting trial.	
Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.																			
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
...	2	...	...	3	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	8	...	5	52	...	65	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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...	61	4	12	75	2	154	629	...	2	41	2	4	7	15	3	4	1	...	...	...	...	

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Total ...	5	341	346	320	341	790	154
	B. Offences against other laws.							
14	Abkari Act	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
15	Cattle Trespass Act	...	5	5	1	5	7	3
16	Gambling Act	...	6	6	3	6	38	32
17	District Police Act	...	54	54	49	54	92	83
18	Arms Act	...	3	3	2	3	3	3
19	Prisons Act	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
20	Customs Act	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
21	Factory Act	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22	Municipal Act	...	42	42	1	42	42	35
23	Disobedience to orders duly promulgated by the Administrator	...	25	25	...	25	26	25
	Total ...	...	135	135	59	135	208	181
	Grand Total ...	5	476	481	379	476	998	335

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VII—*Concluded.*

10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
...	61	4	12	75	2	154	629	...	2	41	2	4	7	15	3	4	1	...	...	...	5	
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...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	1	2	...	32	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	32	...	32	6	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	2	...	...	81	...	83	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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...	2	...	1	178	...	181	27	...	...													
										44	2	4	7	15	3	4	1	...	...	...	5	
...	63	4	13	253	2	335	656	...	2													

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Appendix VIII.

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER of OFFENCES reported and dealt with by the various Courts in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1918-19.

Name of Court.	Number of offences reported during the year.		Number of persons dealt with.								Persons disposed of.					Persons remaining at the end of the year.	Remarks.
			Remaining at the end of last year.	Brought to trial in 1919.					Total.								
	Past year.	Present year.		Arrested by Police.	Upon warrant.	On Summons.	Voluntarily.	Arrested in presence of the magistrate.	Past year.	Present year.	Discharged.	Acquitted and compounded.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped or transferred.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Magistrate 1st Class	375	472	5	75	8	903	...	3	800	989	84	570	327	*7	2	4	* As the 7 accused in the F. C. Magistrate Court, whose cases have been disposed of by the Sessions Court, are included in cols. 13 & 14, the total of col. 15 is left blank.
Do. Nyayadhish	1	4	...	...	1	...	...	3	1	4	...	1	2	...	...	1	
Sessions Court	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*1	*6	...	...	..	
Total	376	476	5	75	9	903	...	6	801	993	84	572	335	...	2	5	

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Appendix IX.

STATEMENT showing the RESULTS of APPEALS against decisions passed by the CRIMINAL COURTS in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1918-1919.

Tribunal.	Number of applications.	Number of persons and cases.																Remarks.
		Applications rejected.		Sentenced. Confirmed		Modified.		Reversed.		Proceedings quashed.		Referred.		Further inquiry &c. ordered.		Pending.		
		Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Hazoor Court... ...	10	4	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Sessions Court ...	19	...	...	15	12	7	3	5	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	29	4	3	18	15	9	5	7	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

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Appendix

CIVIL WORK—Nature and value of ORIGINAL

Number.	Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during the year, received by transfer or on demand.		Total.		Disposed of during the year.		Closing balance.	
		Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	Nyayadhish Court	124	24	334	294	458	318	434	273	24	45
2	Sar Nyayadhish (Small Causes Court) ...	6	10	731	399	737	409	727	403	10	6
3	„ above Rs. 5,000	...	...	1	2	1	2	1	1	...	1
4	Sardars' Court ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total ...	130	34	1066	695	1196	729	1162	677	34	52

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X.

SUITS filed and disposed of during the year 1918—19.

SUITS FILED DURING THE PRESENT YEAR.										SUITS DISPOSED OF DURING THE PRESENT YEAR.						
Value.	Suits re-landed property.	Suits for money transactions.	Suits for other rights.	No. of suits under Rs. 50.	No. of suits above Rs. 50 and under Rs. 100.	No. of suits above Rs. 100 and under Rs. 500.	No. of suits above Rs. 500 and under Rs. 1,000.	No. of suits above Rs. 1,000 and under Rs. 5,000.	Above Rs. 5,000.	Exparte.	Admitted and Compromised.	Struck off the file.	Otherwise disposed of.	Value.	Average duration.	REMARKS.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Rs.									Unvaluable.					Rs.		
29604	41	181	72	53	39	130	18	10	44	19	128	5	121	50116	63.4	
10453	18	381	...	327	72	....	...	...	...	113	188	8	94	10717	25.1	
12750	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	7500	128	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
52807	59	563	73	380	111	130	18	10	46	132	317	13	215	68333	72.16	

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Appendix XI.

CIVIL WORK—RESULTS of APPLICATIONS for execution of decrees.

Number.	Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Value of opening balance for present year.	Applications, brought to the register.			Total.			Disposed of.			Closing balance.			Nature of applications pending disposal at the close of the year 1918-19.			Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Under 6 months.	Under 12 months.	Above 12 months.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
				Rs.			Rs.			Rs.			Rs.			Rs.				
1	Nyayadhish Court...	91	59	45,082	354	229	49,151	445	288	94,233	386	200	39,904	59	88	54,329	88	...	...	
2	Sar Nyayadhish Court	16	12	2,623	343	207	5,932	359	219	8,555	347	181	6,843	12	38	1,712	11	27	...	
	Total ...	107	71	47,705	697	436	55,083	804	507	102788	733	381	46,747	71	126	56,041	99	27	...	

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Appendix XII.

CIVIL WORK—Value and Results of Appeals in CIVIL SUITS.

Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during.		Total.		Disposed of during.		Closing balance.		Value of appeals filed during.		How Disposed of.										Average duration.		Remarks.
													Decisions confirmed.		Decisions reversed.		Decisions amended.		Cases remanded for re-trial.		Cases Compromised and otherwise disposed of.				
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Sar Nyayadhish Court First appeals.	...	4	85	34	85	38	81	38	4	...	Rs. 20686	Rs. 7990	35	19	16	4	22	12	7	...	1	3	34.7	54	
Hazur Court Second appeals.	1	2	8	20	9	22	7	20	2	2	3149	11677	4	16	1	2	1	1	...	...	1	1	48.7	42	
Hazur Court First appeals.	...	...	3	4	3	4	3	4	...	...	205	62	3	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	21.25	
Total...	1	6	96	58	97	64	91	62	6	2	24040	19729	42	36	17	9	23	13	7	...	2	4	33.13	39.08	

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Appendix XIII.

STATEMENT showing the number of persons confined in the JAILS and LOCK-UPS in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1918—19.

Station.	Number of prisons.	Number of prisoners.				Daily average in Jail.		Number of prisoners remaining at the end of the year.	Total cost of Jail and prisoners.	Daily average of under trial prisoners.	Remarks showing mortality among convicts in Jail.
		Remaining from last year.	Admitted during the year.	Total.							
				Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Cambay.....	1	39	87	121	126	43.4	36.8	44	Rs. 5903	4.2	Four male prisoners died of influenza in the Jail.

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Appendix XIV.

REGISTRATION of DOCUMENTS in the CAMBAY STATE.

Name of State.	Nature of documents presented.												Documents registered.		Value of documents registered.		Document of which registry has been refused.		Documents remaining unregistered pending enquiry at the close of the year.		Remarks.
	Documents presented for registration.		Mortgages.		Sale deeds.		Wills.		Money bonds.		Miscellaneous.										
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Cambay ...	998	1372	410	652	512	593	35	70	...	...	41	57	996	1371	Rs. 443563	Rs. 605102	2	...	...	1	

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Appendix XV.

STATEMENT showing the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE on account of REGISTRATION during the year 1918-19.

Description.	Past year.			Present year.			Remarks.
	Number of deeds.	Value of property.	Fees realized.	Number of deeds.	Value of property.	Fees realized.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
Mortgages	410	133224—9-0	2098—8-0	652	177940—6-3	2830—4-0	
Sale deeds	512	161337-13-7	4821-12-0	593	279497-13-9	8363—4-0	
Wills	35	98324—0-0	330—0-0	70	106954-14-11	610—0-0	
Miscellaneous	41	50676—6-6	778—4-0	57	40708—7-0	1156—4-0	
Total ...	998	443562-13-1	8028—8-0	1372	605101-9-11	12959-12-0	
Deduct Expenditure ...	...	...	518—0-0	...	...	586—0-0	
Net Income...	...	...	7510—8-0	...	...	12373-12-0	

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Appendix XVI.

RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CAMBAY MUNICIPALITY during the year ending 31st October 1918.

Name.	Opening balance.	Receipts.		Total in current year.	Expenditure.		Closing balance.	Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. a. p.	
Cambay Municipality ...	3497	35699	43809	47306	35849	35214	12092-0-0	
Nawab Jafferalli Khan Waterworks	7505	35023	30517	38022	37609	30811	7211-0-0	

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Appendix XVII.

STATEMENT of RAINFALL in the CAMBAY STATE.

State.	June 1918.		July 1918.		August 1918.		September 1918.		October 1918.		November 1918.		December 1918.		January 1919.		February 1919.		March 1919.		April 1919.		May 1919.		Total.	Total of previous years.	Average of past 5 years.	Remarks.
	Inches.	Cents.	nches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	
1	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		9		10		11		12		13		14	15	16	17
Cambay ...	0.81		4.89		8.5		0.6		...		...		...		...		...		...		0.2		...		12.83	41.15	34.10	

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Appendix XVIII.

STATEMENT of prices of FOOD—GRAINS.

State.	Articles.	During May 1918 (past year.) per maund of 40 lbs.	During May 1919 (present year.) per maund of 40 lbs.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
Cambay	Bajri	3 2 0	5 1 0	
	Kodra	1 12 0	3 4 0	
	Wheat-red	3 8 0	5 4 0	
	Do. white	3 14 0	6 8 0	
	Rice	3 0 0 to 5 4 0	4 1 0 to 9 12 0	
	Dal Tuver	2 12 0 to 3 8 0	5 12 0 to 7 8 0	
	Muth	2 10 0	Not available.	
	Gram	2 1 0 to 2 4 0	3 4 0 to 4 4 0	

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Appendix XIX.

AGRICULTURAL STOCK in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1918—19.

District.	Year.	Cattle.					Horses.				Asses.	Sheep and Goats.	Ploughs.		Carts.		Remarks.
		Bullocks.	Cows.	He-buffaloes.	She-buffaloes.	Total.	Horses.	Mares.	Colts and Fillies.	Total.			With two Bullocks.	With four Bullocks.	Riding.	Load carrying.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Cambay City ...	1918-19	1100	324	133	1237	2794	176	9	3	188	494	1043	206	...	371	258	
„ Villages...	„	10363	3879	823	11859	26924	65	138	46	249	339	4507	4379	...	112	2336	
Total ...		11463	4203	956	13096	29718	241	147	49	437	833	5550	4585	...	483	2594	
1917—18		14625	9639	1462	17536	43262	255	162	35	452	895	5443	5113		3276		

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Appendix XX.

EXPENDITURE on PUBLIC WORKS, during the year ending 31st October 1918.

State.	Description of works.	State funds.			Local funds.			Grand Total.
		Original.	Repairs.	Total.	Original.	Repairs.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Cambay	Buildings	73079	21921	95000	11144	513	11657	106657
	Wells, Tanks, and Water works ...	20291	115	20406	3871	1245	5116	25522
	Roads	...	444	444	5365	739	6104	6548
	Reclamation	...	254	254	...	...	...	254
	Gardens	...	14638	14638	...	...	...	14638
	Establishment	13269	...	13269	1961	...	1961	15230
	Miscellaneous	...	2247	2247	...	614	614	2861
	Bunder Decca & creek improvement.	...	7723	7723	....	...	...	7723
	Total ...	106639	47342	158981	22341	3111	25452	179433

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Appendix XXI.

STATEMENT showing the EXCISE SHOPS and EXCISE REVENUE of the CAMBAY STATE, during the year ending 31st October 1918.

Name of State.	Country Spirit.		Opium.		Ganja.		Toddy.		Total.		Remarks.
	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.	
Cambay	12	77190	34	46807	4	2020	2	1924	52	127441	

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APPENDIX XXII.

Appendix

No. I—RECEIPTS.

No.	Items.	Samvat year 1973 ended 31st October 1917.	Samvat year 1974 ended 31st October 1918.	Increase.	Decrease.
I	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Land Revenue...	396850	366455	...	30395
2	Law and Justice	21533	19971	...	1562
3	Stamps	11893	11879	...	14
4	Registration	8848	10520	1672	...
5	Customs and Port dues	10160	5192	...	4968
6	Salt Compensation & Nazarana...	40253	40249	...	4
7	Abkari including Bhang, Ganja and Poisonous substances ...	66139	81214	15075	...
8	Opium	39767	46307	6540	...
9	Octroi, cotton and import duties...	56837	59228	2391	...
10	Education and Library... ...	3913	3830	...	83
11	Jail	2666	2172	...	494
12	Interest	86464	81443	...	5021
13	Cambay Railway	40322	35285	...	5037
14	Police and Levies	324	805	481	...
15	Medical	81	22	...	59
16	Printing Press	1394	1511	117	...
17	P. W. Department	10353	8651	...	1702
18	Miscellaneous	15039	19040	4001	...
	Total Receipts ...	812836	793774	30277	49339
	Deposits and Advances...	221910	171727	...	50183
	Excluded Funds ...	99917	119461	19544	...
	Total ...	1134663	1084962	49821	99522
	Opening Balance ...	722686	1034732	312046	...
	Grand Total ...	1857349	2119694	361867	99522

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No. II—EXPENDITURE.

No.	Items.	Samvat year 1973 ended 31st October 1917.	Samvat year 1974 ended 31st October 1918.	Increase.	Decrease.
I	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Darbar expenses...	138882	134840	...	4042
2	Pensions...	9041	9505	464	...
3	Parvarshis	7614	7667	53	...
4	Charities & Religious Grants...	9703	8381	...	1322
5	Hakdars' allowances	4470	4275	...	195
6	Police	43922	47784	3862	...
7	Levies	15031	16978	1947	...
8	Public Works Department ...	138068	153980	15912	...
9	Grant-in-aid	20000	40000	20000	...
10	General Administration... ...	24797	29503	4706	...
11	Abkari	16457	17954	1497	...
12	Opium	12053	12964	911	...
13	Registration	518	586	68	...
14	Octroi Duty Establishment ...	4681	5109	428	...
15	Customs and Port charges. ...	2556	2914	358	...
16	Law and Justice	15762	13558	...	2204
17	Jail	5276	5903	627	...
18	Medical Charges	14297	15006	709	...
19	Education and Library... ...	23653	25549	1896	...
20	Printing and Stationery	2150	2206	56	...
21	Tribute paid to the British Government	21924	21924	...	...
22	Interest on Debts	7472	6646	...	826
23	Land Revenue	54160	45701	...	8459
24	Cambay State Railway	8061	...	...	8061
25	Miscellaneous	1522	1918	396	...
26	Extraordinary Expenses. ...	20000	15869	...	4131
	Total Expenditure ...	622070	646720	53890	29240
	Deposits and Advances ...	89995	71220	...	18775
	Excluded Funds	110552	116167	5615	...
	Total payments ...	822617	834107	59505	48015
	Closing Balance ...	1034732	1285587	250855	...
	Grand Total ...	1857349	2119694	310360	48015

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Appendix XXIII.

STATEMENT of MEDICAL RELIEF afforded in the CAMBAY STATE during the year 1918-19.

Dispensary.	Number of patients treated.		Results of Indoor-patients.				Expenditure	Daily average.	Remarks.
	Out-door	In-door.	Discharged.	Absented	Died.	Remaining under treatment.			
1	2	3	4	5	6.	7	8	9	10
							Rs. A. P.		
Kennedy Hospital	17872	328	288	25	6	9	5536-10- 0	186.7	
Bibi Bahu Begam Saheb's Free Dispensary ...	9810	...	...	...	...	...	4499-13- 0	106.3	
Zenana Hospital	4552	...	...	...	...	...	2131-13- 5	51.1	
Tarapur Dispensary ...	4907	...	...	...	...	...	1084- 2- 0	78.1	
Varasada Do.	5047	...	...	...	...	...	824- 6- 0	56.4	
Total ...	42188	328	288	25	6	9	14076-12- 5	478.6	

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Appendix XXIV.

VITAL STATISTICS of the CAMBAY STATE for the year 1918-19.

Name.	Population.	Births.		Increase.	Decrease.	Deaths.		Increase.	Decrease.	Ratio per 1000 of population.				Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.			Past year.	Present year.			Births.		Deaths.		
										Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Cambay City... ...	28134	954	703	...	251	1032	1419	387	...	33.91	24.99	36.68	50.44	
Do. Villages' ...	44522	1918	1301	...	617	1967	2726	759	...	43.08	29.22	44.18	61.23	
Total ...	72656	2872	2004	...	868	2999	4145	1146	...	39.53	27.58	41.28	57.05	

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Appendix XXV.

PARTICULARS as to the SCHOOLS MAINTAINED by the CAMBAY STATE, for the year 1918-19.

Number of Schools.		Description of Schools.	Number of pupils on Roll on 31st May.		Daily average attendance.		Expenditure.			Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	High School.	Secondary	Primary.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
							Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	1	Cambay High School...	243	282	224	236	8439	...	...	
1	1	Tarapur A. D. M. English School ...	37	37	36.4	32.5	...	547	...	
29	29	Vernacular Schools in the City and villages..	2340	2504	2091.6	1874.5	...	...	15905	
3	3	Urdu (Madressa) ...	151	182	96.	103.7	...	...	1559	
1	1	Sanskrit Shala ...	35	37	19.2	24.5	...	...	265	
1	1	School for the Depressed Classes	23	27	12.5	14.9	...	...	110	
36	36	Total ...	2829	3069	2479.7	2286.1	8439	547	17839	
7	8	Girls' Schools... ...	692	745	449.8	523.9	...	...	6063	
43	44	Grand Total ...	3521	3814	2929.5	2810.0	8439	547	23902	

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BUDGET ESTIMATE of the CAMBAY STATE, for the year ending 31st October 1919.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
Items.	Amount.	Items.	Amount.
1	2	3	4
1 Land Revenue... ...	347910	1 Darbar Expenses:—	
2 Law and Justice ...	16040	*A.* For H. H. the Nawab and H. H. Sikendar Jahan Begam Saheb...	33910
3 Stamps...	10000	*B.* Allowances paid to the Nawab's relatives and dependents	108324
4 Registration	10000	*C.* Provision Department.	59830
5 Customs and Port dues...	4173	*D.* Miscellaneous ...	18854
6 Salt Compensation and Nazarana	40355	2 Pensions	11075
7 Abkari including Bhang, Ganja and Poisonous Substances	75630	3 Parvarshis	8195
8 Opium	45000	4 Charities or Religious grants	8950
9 Octroi, cotton and import duties	53000	5 Hakdars' allowances ...	4750
10 Education and Library.	4039	6 Police	59365
11 Jail	1435	7 Levies	21250
12 Interest...	70275	8 P. W. Department ...	128031
13 Cambay Railway ...	30000	9 Grant-in-aid	40000
14 Police and Levies ...	150	10 General Administration.	35047
15 Medical...	30	11 Abkari	18605
16 Printing Press	80	12 Opium	12025
17 P. W. Department ...	6515	13 Registration	767
18 Miscellaneous	3440	14 Octroi Duty Establishment	6293
		15 Customs & Port charges.	4408
		16 Law and Justice ...	16287
		17 Jail	7519
		18 Medical charges ...	19276
		19 Education and Library...	44633
		20 Printing & Stationery...	4586
		21 Tribute paid to the British Government ...	21924
		22 Interest on Debts ...	6700
		23 Land Revenue	63854
		24 Cambay Railway ...	4600
		25 Miscellaneous	2205
		26 Extraordinary Expenses.	20000
		26 A. Famine Relief ...	98000
Total Receipts...	718072	Total ...	889263
Deposits and Advances...	197000	Deposits and Advances...	222000
Excluded Fund ...	128200	Excluded Funds...	167734
Total ...	1043272	Total ...	1278997
Opening Balance ...	412374	Closing Balance...	176649
Grand Total...	1455646	Grand Total ...	1455646

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CHAPTER I—GENERAL AND POLITICAL.

THERE is no change in the area, 350 square miles, and population which according to the Census of 1911 is 72,656. The gross revenue on the average of the last five years is Rs. 7,08,221 while the land revenue alone for the year under report is Rs. 3,45,296.

2. The general statistics given in this report relate to the period from 1st June 1919 to 31st May 1920; but the financial figures cover the period from 1st November 1918 to 31st October 1919.

3. His Highness Nazmuddaulah Mumtaz-ul-Mulk Mominkhan Bahadur Dilaverjang Nawab Hussein Yavar Khan Bahadur is a Mogal of the Shiah faith; he being a minor, the State continued to be under British Administration. The Nawab is now 9 years old. He continued his studies at the Rajkumar College at Rajkot during the year. He returned to Cambay during the College vacations. During the vacations a coach was employed to help him in the subjects in which he was found deficient at the College Examinations. He rides well and has also learnt cycling. The marriage of Shahazadi Khanum Saheba, step sister of His Highness, took place in Poona on the 8th January 1920.

Tribute.

4. The State pays an annual tribute of Rs. 21,924-4-0 to the British Government.

The King Emperor's Birth day.

5. The 3rd of June 1919 being the birth day of His Imperial Majesty the King-Emperor was celebrated quietly in conformity with the declared wishes of His Majesty.

Visits of Political Officers.

6. Mr. C. H. Blathwayt, I. C. S., Collector and Political Agent, Kaira, visited Cambay once during the year.

Changes in Personnel.

7. Mr. B. B. Vora, Chief Medical Officer, resigned with effect from the 1st December 1919 and from that date Mr. Hiralal Ranchhoddas Clerk L. M. & S. who was Medical Officer in charge of the Bibi Bahu Begam Saheb Free Dispensary was appointed Chief Medical Officer in the said vacancy. Mr. Chandulal A. Desai, Sub-assistant Surgeon, was appointed Medical Officer in charge of the Bibi Bahu Begam Saheb Free Dispensary from the same date. Mr. Damodar Narayan Limaye, B. Sc., B. E. (Civil) continued to work as Assistant Engineer upto the 25th January 1920 and then went on leave without pay. Lately he has tendered his resignation. The post of Lady Doctor in charge of the Zenana Hospital continued to be vacant upto 7th July 1919 when it was filled up by appointing Miss. A. David to it.

CHAPTER II—ADMINISTRATION OF LAND.

8. The Cambay State consists of 88 villages besides the town of Cambay. Five of these are Inami or alienated, and two are Jivai *i. e.* held on life tenure. Of the latter, one,

Vàsnà, is given for the maintenance of a cousin of His Highness the Nawab, Mirza Mahomed Kulikhan, and the other, Vainaj, to another cousin Mirza Fidauddinkhan. The village of Vainaj is under State management, as Mirza Fidauddinkhan is heavily indebted to the State. His debt is yearly increasing as the net income of the village which is shrinking on account of lands being given up by tenants, is hardly sufficient to meet even the annual interest due to the State. Every effort is being made to secure cultivators for such of the waste area as is capable of profitable cultivation. The Survey Settlement was introduced in 1893: it will expire in 1923.

Jamabandi.

9. The following comparative statement gives the results of the Jamabandi settlement for the year under report as well as for the previous year:—

Year.	Fixed land revenue.	Miscellaneous land revenue.	Total.
Land Revenue for Samvat 1975 (1st November 1918 to 31st October 1919)	Rs 3,05,408	Rs. 23,362	Rs. 3,28,770
Land Revenue for Samvat 1976 (1st November 1919 to 31st May 1920)	3,03,326	41,970	3,45,296
Decrease ...	2,082	...	...
Increase ...	...	18,608	16,526

10. The decrease in Fixed Land Revenue is chiefly due to the relinquishment of land, bearing an assessment of Rs. 3,326 as against a comparatively small area of land taken up

during the year. In two villages *viz.* Rampur and Anandpur one new Khatedar relinquished land assessed at Rs. 2400 because he could not import cultivators, while in another village *viz.* Rangpur land assessed at Rs. 150 was given up by another new Khatedar because of the presence of 'Khar' therein. This accounts for the heavy increase in relinquishments.

The increase in Miscellaneous Land Revenue was mainly due to income realised from grazing which was scarce in the preceding year on account of the failure of rain.

Revenue Collection.

11. The Land Revenue due for the year 1919–20 was Rs. 3,45,296 of which Rs. 3,31,648 or nearly 96% was recovered upto 31st May 1920, leaving a balance of Rs. 13,648. Out of this balance Rs. 10,012 have been recovered subsequently and a balance of Rs. 3,636 stands suspended.

Licenses for guns continued to be given to agriculturists during the year for protection of crops from wild animals. This year some further licenses had also to be given for the protection of person and property from the inroads of the armed gangs of dacoits and outlaws which continued to menace the rural areas.

Outstanding Balance.

12. The balance outstanding at the end of October 1918 for the complete Samvat year 1974 was Rs. 25,277. Adding to this, the suspended land revenue for the year 1918–19 (Samvat year 1975) of Rs. 2,13,556, the total outstanding balance at the end of May 1919, was Rs. 2,38,833. Out of this amount Rs. 1,64,763 have been recovered and Rs.

16,617 written off upto the end of May 1920, leaving a balance of Rs. 57,453. Out of this amount about Rs. 20,345 have since been recovered. As regards the amount written off, Rs. 3,121 were remitted under the remission and suspension rules of the State, Rs. 409 on account of the arrears of absconding occupants whose land was remaining waste, Rs. 10,917 on account of the water rate on Kyâri (Rice) lands which failed to get water owing to the scarcity of rain, Rs. 1,860 owing to the extension, on account of famine conditions, of the period of exemption from the payment of land revenue in certain cases where the lands were given out for cultivation on certain concessions and Rs. 309 owing to the reduction of assessment on the land, taken up in the Kenewal tank.

Waste land.

13. The total area of waste land during the year was 15,619 acres against 14,770 in the previous year. 10,695 acres of these are cultivable and the rest uncultivable. Of this cultivable area, about 10,360 acres remain uncultivated owing to want of cultivators. This land might be taken up by outsiders, who are being induced to settle on it; but as the years preceding the year of report have not proved favourable to the occupants who have already taken up similar lands in big lots on easy terms, no offers for the present are forthcoming. The total area held on the restricted tenure has gone down from 1950 acres to 1841 acres. The decrease is due to relinquishments. This tenure is generally not looked upon with favour by the agriculturists.

Tagavi Advances.

14. The amount of Tagavi outstanding at the beginning of the year was Rs. 1,05,791. To this the amount of Rs.

3,073 was added on account of interest. Thus the total stood at Rs. 1,08,864. During the year, Rs. 44,569 were advanced as Tagavi to 2196 Khatedars. Of this fresh advance Rs. 19,944 were given for seeds, Rs. 700 for development of land, Rs. 2,556 for grass, Rs. 18,339 for bullocks, Rs. 310 for constructing houses, Rs. 2,645 for Kos Varat and Rs. 75 for wells. Out of the total outstanding of Rs. 1,53,433, Rs. 48,648 were recovered and Rs. 211 were remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 1,04,574 at the end of May 1920. Considering the facts that the total amount put down for collection under this head during the year was Rs. 53,000 and that the agriculturists had to pay the suspended land revenue of the previous year, the collection work would appear to be satisfactory.

Local Fund.

15. The Local Fund Cess is levied on the Land Revenue assessment as the rate of half an anna in the rupee. Rs. 16,575 were due during the year under report, of which Rs. 15,122 were recovered and Rs. 9 were remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 1,444 at the close of the year but since then almost the whole of this amount has been recovered. The total Local Fund Cess being entirely inadequate for carrying out the usual Local Fund Works and meeting the cost of primary education, Rs. 28,000 had to be given as a grant from the State to meet the yearly growing expenses under this head. The increase in Local Fund Revenue is due to an increase in miscellaneous land revenue.

CHAPTER III—PROTECTION.

Legislation.

16. The State has adopted some of the important British Indian Acts in force in the Bombay Presidency. The Indian

Treasure Trove Act (VI of 1878), The Bombay Boiler Inspection Act 1891, The Suits Valuation Act VII of 1887, The Indian Court Fees Act (VII of 1870) and The Indian Arms Act (Indian Act No. XI of 1878) were introduced in this State during the year. The Wild Birds and Animals Protection Act, in force here, was repealed and Act VIII of 1912, now in force in British India was adopted during the year. This State has its own Limitation, Registration, Stamp and Municipal Acts. The boilers of all factories in this State were examined by the Government Inspector of Steam Boilers, Ahmedabad, in accordance with the arrangement sanctioned by Government.

17. The Laws in force in this State are shown in Appendix II.

(*a*) Military Force.

18. The State does not maintain any regular Military Force; but what remains of the old irregular levies is shown in Appendix III.

19. The cavalry consists of 10 men of whom 8 are His Highness The Nawab's Body Guard, armed with swords only. The remaining 2 are flag bearers. Last year the number of flag bearers under this head was shown to be 7, but as 5 of them who were merely Darbar dependants and wrongly classed under this head have since been transferred to their proper head and that accounts for the decrease. The artillery comprises men, kept for firing cannon as salutes on ceremonial occasions and festivals. There are nine guns at present in a serviceable condition. The Infantry (144 men) consisted of the Biraderi force. It is divided into two sections—(i) the Tehnatis (Personal Servants to Darbar relatives) under His Highness's cousin Mirza

Mahomed Kulikhan and (ii) Watchmen of the gates of the town. These latter are under the Superintendent of Police. Five new men were appointed to replace the old Biradari men under the Superintendent of Police during the year.

20. This irregular force was maintained at a cost of Rs. 18,181 as against Rs. 16,978 in the previous year. The increase is due to the increase in the rate of grain compensation allowance.

(*b*) **Police.**

21. The total strength of the Police Force, including Armed men was 221 (vide Appendix IV). The following are the details.

	Sanctioned Number.	Vacancies.
Armed Men...	62	7
Sowars	19	0
Foot Police	140	29
	221	- 36 = 185

The system of regular patrols by the Sowars continued to be in force and was found to be of great assistance. in checking crime in this State. On the borders of the State gangs of dacoits and outlaws were giving cause for considerable anxiety.

22. The maintenance of this Force cost the State Rs. 52,726 against Rs. 47,784 in the previous year. The increase is due to the increased rate of Local and grain compensation allowances which had to be given on account of high prices and the difficulty of securing men on old rates of pay.

The ratio of police to population and area per square mile remained the same *i. e.* .3 p. c. and .63 respectively.

Working of the Police.

23. The comparative results of the working of the Police during the year of report and the previous year are shown in Appendix V. Of the 121 cases reported to the Police against 133 last year, 73 went up for trial, 31 were struck off the registers under magisterial orders and 17 remained undetected at the end of the year. The falling off in the number of offences was due to the return of normal agricultural conditions after a year of severe scarcity and to the extra vigilance of the foot and mounted Police. Gangs of dacoits and outlaws menaced the borders; but the Police were able to keep the situation well in hand.

24. Of the 73 cases sent up for trial, 58 ended in conviction, 8 were compounded, 5 resulted in acquittal and 2 remained pending for disposal at the end of the year.

25. Of the 119 persons, arrested by the Police, 104 were sent up for trial, 11 were released by the Police themselves and the cases of 4 remained undisposed of at the end of the year. Of the 104 persons sent up for trial, 77 were convicted, 11 were acquitted, the cases of 11 persons were compounded and those of 5 remained undisposed of at the end of the year.

26. The percentage of convictions to arrests (64.7) and that of convictions to committals to Courts (74.04) show only small variations as compared with last year's figures. The results are on the whole satisfactory. In 8 cases 11 accused persons were arrested by the Police and released on bail, as it was subsequently found that no case could be proved against them.

27. Appendix VI gives the values of property stolen and recovered during the year, as compared with the previous year. The percentage of recovery shows a considerable falling off. This is due to three serious dacoities involving a loss of property worth Rs. 992 committed during the year, the property in all of which remained untraced. The value of propeity stolen decreased by more than 50 per cent. The work of the department continued generally satisfactory and credit is due to the Superintendent of Police and his subordinates for the good work done.

28. The Police force was regularly drilled as usual.

Village Police.

29. The total strength of the village Police, excluding Mukhis and Deputy Mukhis, during the year was the same as in the previous year *viz.* 383. It was maintained at a cost of Rs. 19,410 in cash and Rs. 415 in land as against Rs. 18,439 in cash and Rs. 415 in land in the preceding year. The increase was due to the grant of one rupee extra per month as allowance to each Ravania on cash remuneration on account of the high cost of living. Inspite of this increase, some posts remained vacant for want of men. The number of Mukhis and Deputy Mukhis was 84 and 68 respectively against 84 and 79 in the previous year. The decrease in the number of Deputy Mukhis is due to the fact that the posts of Deputy Mukhis at eleven small villages were abolished during the year as being superfluous and their pay added to that of the Mukhis of the respective villages in order to improve the latter's insufficient remuneration.

(c) Criminal Justice.

30. The details of the working of the Criminal Courts in the State are shown in Appendices VII and VIII.

31. 677 cases, including 5 pending at the close of the preceding year, came up for disposal against 481 last year. Of those 670 were disposed of leaving a balance of 7 at the close of the year. There is a marked increase in the total number of cases but that increase is chiefly due to an increase in the number of offences under Section 61A of the District Police Act which was extended to the villages of the State where stray cattle used to do considerable damage to standing crops.

32. The total number of persons, involved in these cases was 1100, including 5 awaiting trial at the end of the preceding year. The cases of 1088 of these were disposed of, leaving a balance of 12 awaiting trial at the end of the year.

33. Of these 1088 men, 63 were discharged, 490 were convicted, 531 were acquitted either after trial or composition while 4 persons concerned in 4 cases died a natural death.

34. Of those convicted, 59 were sentenced to imprisonment only, 21 to imprisonment with fine, 391 to fine only and 19 to whipping.

35. The average duration of cases disposed of by the Magistrate during the year was 4.3 days against 5.07 last year.

Besides these cases, 50 miscellaneous cases including one of the last year, came up for disposal before the First

Class Magistrate. All of these were disposed of during the year. The total number of persons involved in these cases was 83 including the one awaiting trial at the end of the preceding year.

The Sessions or Sar Nyayadhish Court.

36. All the 5 cases, committed to the Court of Session during the year against 4 in the previous year, were disposed of.

37. The average duration of these cases was 12.8 days against 16.7 last year.

38. Appendix IX shows the working of the Appellate Courts in Criminal cases.

39. 26 appeals were filed during the year of report against 29 in the previous year. 25 of these were disposed of and 1 remained pending disposal at the end of the year: Four were rejected, the decision of the Lower Courts was confirmed in 6, modified in 11 and reversed in 4.

40. The average duration of these appeals was 12.1 days against 11, last year.

(*d*) Civil Justice.

41. Appendix X gives details of the Civil Suits filed in and disposed of by the three Civil Courts *viz.* the Nyayadhish, the Sar Nyayadhish and Sardars' Courts.

42. 991 cases including 52 pending at the close of the previous year, came up for disposal against 729 during that year. Of the 991 cases, 935 were disposed of against 677 in the previous year, leaving a balance of 56.

amicably settled 189 cases and certified 189 as fit for trial in the Civil Courts, leaving 50 undisposed of at the close of the year. The panchayat system is found to work fairly well. It relieves the Courts of a good deal of petty work and saves the people much expense of litigation, and above all, much of the delay inseparable from Law Courts. The system appears to be capable of expansion and the revision of the rules governing it and the grant of increased powers both in civil and criminal matters to selected Panchayats are under consideration.

Execution of Decrees.

51. Appendix XI gives details regarding the execution of decrees in the Civil Courts.

52. 643 fresh applications were made which, with 126, the opening balance, made up a total of 769. 671 of these were disposed of, leaving a closing balance of 98.

Civil Appeals.

53. Appendix XII gives details of Civil Appeals filed and disposed of during the year.

54. 47 appeals, 35 first and 12 second, were due for disposal against 64 last year. Of these 33 first and 10 second appeals were disposed of, leaving a balance of 2 first and 2 second appeals.

55. As to the first appeals disposed of, the decision of the lower court was confirmed in 16, reversed in 7, amended in 4 and 6 cases were compromised, or otherwise disposed of.

56. In the second appeals, the decision of the lower court was confirmed in 3, reversed in 1 and six cases were compromised or otherwise disposed of.

57. The total value of property, concerned in the appeals, filed during the year, was Rs. 8,166 against Rs. 19,729 last year.

(e) Extradition.

58. The surrender of 21 persons was demanded by this State, eleven from the British Government and ten from certain Native States. 18 of these persons were surrendered, 10 by the British Government and 8 by the Native States, while the requisitions for 3 were withdrawn.

59. The surrender of 10 persons, including 2 of the last year, was demanded from this State during the year of report six by the British Government and four by some Native States. 4 were surrendered to the British Government and four to the Native States, concerned, leaving two persons to be surrendered at the end of the year.

(f) Prisons.

60. Appendix XIII gives details of Jail Administration.

61. Of the 137 prisoners in the Jail against 126 last year, 44 were those of the previous year and 93 were admitted during the year of report. 45 of these remained undischarged at the end of the year. Eleven short term prisoners were released from the Jail on the Peace Celebration Day and the sentences of the other prisoners were reduced.

62. The daily average of prisoners during the year of report was 45.7 against 36.8 last year.

63. The Jail was maintained at a cost of Rs. 7,255 against Rs. 5,903 in the previous year. The increase is due to the increase in the number of prisoners and partly to the

dearness of provisions and partly to the increased rate of grain compensation allowance granted to Jail subordinates.

64. The prisoners are employed in indoor work and weaving Carpets, Khadis and Chadars with fly shuttle and other looms, and are also employed in grinding grain. They do out-door work at times on Public Works as labourers under police guards. The value of the work done by them was Rs. 1,243 against 2,172 in the previous year. The decrease was mainly due to the difficulty of finding sufficient Police Guards to take the prisoners out, as all the available Policemen were engaged in the suppression of crime.

65. Twenty prisoners were given the benefit of the rules in Chapter 21 of the Jail Manual, referring to remissions in consideration of good conduct and efficiency in the work entrusted to them. One prisoner was given a special remission of 7 days for good work. To another prisoner also a similar special remission of 30 days was given.

(*g*) Registration.

66. Appendices XIV and XV give details of the registration of documents and fees realised.

67. 1096 documents were presented for registration against 1372. All of them were registered during the year of report. The total value of the property concerned in these documents amounted to Rs. 5,45,760 against Rs. 6,05,102 last year. The fall was due to the better monsoon of the year.

(*h*) Municipal Administration.

68. The Municipal Administration of the town of Cambay continued to be carried on by a Board consisting of

thirteen members including the President; six are elected and six nominated as stated in last year's report. The Assistant Administrator Mr. M. O. Patel continued to be the President of the Board; while Mr. Chunibhai Manibhai, retired Treasury Officer of this State, continued to hold the office of Vice President.

69. The municipal revenue was spent as usual on the maintenance of roads and conservancy and sanitation in the town, the Schools, Hospitals and Dispensaries being maintained by the State.

70. The Municipal Income for Samvat year 1975 (1918–19) was Rs. 44,754 with an opening balance of Rs. 12,092 making a total of Rs. 56,846 available for expenditure against Rs. 47,306 in the previous year as shown in Appendix XVI. A grant of Rs. 25000 as in the previous year was made from the State. No metalled road was made during the year. Repairs to old roads cost Rs. 4,956. The total length of Municipal roads remained the same *viz.* 12,570 yards. The Municipality has to import its metal from outside but on account of the scarcity of wagons it was not possible to get it and consequently one new road which was provided in the Municipal Budget could not be taken in hand. For the same reason it was found difficult to keep even the existing metalled roads in proper repairs.

71. The total expenditure amounted to Rs. 37,688 against Rs. 35,214 last year. Appendix XVI also gives details of the Income and Expenditure of the Nawab Jaffer Ali Khan Waterworks which are under municipal management. The income from the Waterworks for the Samvat year 1975 (1918–19) was Rs. 41,028 with an opening balance of Rs. 7,211 making a total of Rs. 48,239, available for the year against Rs. 38,022 in the preceding year. The total expenditure on this

account amounted to Rs. 44,494 against Rs. 30,811 last year. There is an appreciable increase both under income and expenditure. In the former the increase is due to the recovery of arrears of past years on account of water rate while in the latter the increase is due to the repayment of an amount of Rs. 15,000 towards the loan taken for the Waterworks from the State.

CHAPTER IV—PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION.

Weather and Crops.

72. Appendix XVII gives details of rainfall for the year under report.

73. The fall registered was 25.41 Inches. The average fall, as given in the Rainfall data for Cambay is 27.72. The average of the falls of the preceding five years is 27 Inches.

	Average as per rainfall Data.	Fall in 1919.
June	3 89	3.59
July	10.72	8.23
August	7.82	9.28
September	4.40	0.76
October...	7.71	0.69
Total...	27.54	22.55

The above figures will show that there was fairly good rain in June, July and August. It was besides evenly distributed and consequently there was a fairly good yield of Bajri,

Bavto, Kodra and rice. The rain, however, practically disappeared in September with the result that the Kathol crops yielded a very poor outturn. The heavy floods in the Sâbarmati river in September had washed away cotton seedlings at some places in some of the Bara villages and these fields had to be resown in consequence. A slight damage was also caused by frost to the cotton crop in some villages situated on the banks of that river. On the whole the yield of the cotton crop was fairly good; but the prices were much too low. The wheat crop was, however, normal and enabled the people to pay off the land revenue including the suspended arrears. The outturn of the main crops during the year as compared with that of the last year was as under:—

	1919.		1920.	
	Area.	Yield.	Area.	Yield.
Rice...	35.33	0	4465.26	12 Annas.
Bajri.	20398.34	1 Anna.	19929.29	12 ,,
Jowar	11876. 7	Only some fodder.	13349. 2	10 ,,
Cotton.	26797.38	0	22461.24	10 ,,
Wheat.	1031.16 (Irrigated.)	10 Annas.	27190. 9	11 ,,
Tobacco	1109.21	6/8 ,,	2079. 9	8 ,,
Bavto } Kodra }	3733.13	0	8831.33	12 ,,
Oil seeds	744. 1	0	1725. 7	8 ,,
Others.	282.14 (Irrigated.)	8 Annas.	393.31	8 ,,

74. The number of irrigation wells and tanks was 1271 and 39 against 1282 and 39 respectively in the previous year. The small decrease in the number of wells is due to some wells temporarily opened last year on account of the scarcity having been rendered unserviceable.

75. The area of irrigated land during the year was 1493.36 as against 4907.18 in the preceding year. The decrease in the area of irrigated land was due to favourable rainfall. The Kenewal Tank irrigated 45 acres only which is far short of its capability and of expectations. This was partly due to the masonry regulating works along the distributaries not being completed and partly to the apathy of the people. The Mehemedabad Tank irrigated 175 acres which is more than half its irrigable capacity.

Wages and Labour.

76. Labour continued to be scarce and the rates of wages have also mounted up: unskilled labourers are earning eight to twelve annas a day and skilled ones from one rupee to one rupee and twelve annas. The continuance of high prices of food stuffs and other articles of human consumption account for this to a certain extent.

77. Appendix XVIII gives the prices of food grains during the year as compared with the previous year. The prices of rice, Dàl (Tuver) and Gram continued nearly the same, as they had mostly to be imported from outside. These high prices were due to lack of transport facilities. The prices of Bajri, Kodra, Wheat etc. have been lower than in the preceding year and this is due to a good local yield of these crops which could not be exported in large quantities also for want of transport facilities. The prices of Ghee, milk and sugar which are articles of common consumption were very high, and at times were almost prohibitive.

Agricultural Stock.

78. Appendix XIX gives details of Agricultural Stock. There is a considerable increase under the head "cattle" which is specially due to the stock which had suffered last year on account of the scarcity having been replenished on the revival of normal monsoon conditions. Rabaris and shepherds who had taken their cattle to the forests outside, also returned with their surviving stock.

Trade.

79. The sea-borne trade registered at the port of Cambay during the year was valued at Rs. 5,10,356 against Rs. 2,95,835 last year. The increase is due to a large quantity of miscellaneous articles having been imported by sea owing to railway wagon difficulties during the year. On the whole the sea-borne trade was more active than in the preceding year of scarcity.

80. The following figures will show at a glance the volume of trade as compared with the previous year:—

IMPORTS.

		No. of vessels.	Capacity in Khandis.	Value of goods.
				Rs.
1919-20	Laden ... 290		31,705	4,45,270
Do....	Empty... 53		965	...
	Total ... 343		32,670	4,45,270
1918-19	Laden ... 238		24,853	2,69,617
Do....	Empty ... 65		1,876	...
	Total ... 303		26,729	2,69,617

EXPORTS.

		No. of vessels.	Capacity in Khandis.	Value of goods.
				Rs.
1919-20	Laden ... 76		2,846	65,086
Do....	Empty... 266		30,141	...
	Total ... 342		32,987	65,086
1918-19	Laden ... 88		3,428	26,218
Do....	Empty... 214		23,019	...
	Total ... 302		26,447	26,218

Manufactures and Industries.

81. The chief manufactures of Cambay are cotton and silk fabrics and various articles of agate and cornelian stone. Cotton yarn of various counts and cloth are manufactured in the Nawab of Cambay Mills. There is one flour mill which continued to work to its full capacity during the year. Another mill was wound up during the year. There appears to be a demand for more flour mills and some people have already obtained permissions to put up such mills in the town, to be worked by oil-engines.

82. The total number of hand looms in Cambay was 3585 against 3145 last year. They gave employment to 7118 persons against 6166 last year. On account of a growing demand for Sâris from outside there was much activity in the hand

loom industry throughout the whole year. The trade in agate and cornelian stones also improved. Some samples of articles made of these stones were sent to the Exhibition in London where they appear to have been appreciated.

The Dye-house and other Factories.

83. The State Dye-house continued to work as usual.

84. The Nawab of Cambay Mills worked throughout the year. During 10 months and 10 days of active work excluding holidays and the days when the Mill was closed owing to the examination of the boilers by the Boiler Inspector, N. D. Ahmedabad, 2866 bales of yarn, weighing 11,46,400 lbs. were produced against 2137 bales weighing 8,54,800 lbs. The Dye-house in this Mill dyed 31 bales of Cotton yarn against 8 bales last year. This Dye-house worked during the year simply to supply the necessary materials for the weaving department of the Mill. Out of 264 looms in the weaving department in the Mill, about 150 were working during the year. They used up 4,38,153 lbs. of yarn turning out cloth, weighing 4,62,858 lbs. Cloth of the value of Rs. 5,72,778 was sold during the year. The average number of workmen employed in this department was 164 per day; while in spinning, dyeing etc. the number employed was 730 per day. The sanitary and medical arrangements for the Mill labourers continued to be fairly satisfactory. Their housing requires more attention on the part of the management. During the year a school was opened at the instance of the Administrator for giving elementary instruction to the children of labourers living in the Mill chawls. This institution will, it is hoped, be appreciated by the mill hands in course of time.

85. The management of the Mill continued in the hands of the Agents, Secretaries and Treasurers, Messrs. Maganlal Harilal

& Co. The Manager who was appointed last year resigned towards the end of the year and the post is still vacant. The Mill has made good profit and the Company have sanctioned a handsome dividend to the shareholders.

86. The Mill has a ginning factory attached to it and 20 gins, out of 34 erected, turned out 557 bales of cotton against 382 last year, when 20 gins were working. The factory worked for 65 days. The other two ginning factories at Cambay turned out 4282 bales of ginned cotton against 1925 last year. The season for both was very brisk.

Public Works.

87. Appendix XX gives details of the Public Works executed from the State and Local Funds during the Samvat year 1975 (1918–19). The item of Rs. 25,085 for buildings includes Rs. 1100 for the extension of the Mandai Girls' School, Rs. 4,874 for the Gawara Girls' School, Rs. 8,228 for the Dantarwada Vernacular School, Rs. 1,065 for latrines for the Main Vernacular School, Rs. 642 for the Gawara Vernacular Branch School No. 2, Rs. 168 for the Kalamsar Police Gate, Rs. 6,632 for the District Dâk Bungalow with stables and out-houses at Valli; Rs. 242 for a latrine for the Judicial Court, Rs. 1,161 for Warders' Quarters near the Jail and Rs. 973 for other miscellaneous works. Out of the amount of Rs. 10,563 for wells etc., Rs. 2,390 were spent on the Mehemedabad Tank, Rs. 6,853 for the distributaries of the Kenewal Tank, Rs. 987 for improvements to the Kasbàrà Tank, and Rs. 315 for the distributaries of the Daloli Vank Tank. Out of the two buildings *viz.* the Boys' School Branch No. I and Girls' School Branch No. II reported last year to be incomplete, the building for the latter was completed during the year and the buildings for the

former are nearing completion. This is due to transport difficulties in obtaining materials from outside and to labour remaining scarce inspite of high wages.

88. The total gross earnings of the Tarapur–Cambay Railway during the year ending March 1920, amounted to Rs. 78,007 against Rs. 72,605 in the corresponding previous year; while the net receipts excluding working expenses charged by the B. B. & C. I. Railway to the State, amounted to Rs. 34,487 against Rs. 39,778 in the previous year.

89. The total amount invested by the State in the construction of the line, including the Bunder Siding amounted to Rs. 8,80,538 according to the B. B. & C. I. Railway account up to 31st March 1920. The extension of the siding to the Bunder head has cost the State Rs. 1,95,630 bringing the total cost to the State to Rs. 10,76,168. Rs. 5,289 were, however, refunded under this head to the State by the Railway Company and so the total cost has now been reduced to Rs. 10,70,879.

General condition of the State and the people.

90. With the return of normal monsoon conditions there was a great deal of improvement to be seen in the condition of the agriculturists which is now generally satisfactory. The yield of Kharif crops as also of cotton and wheat was generally good and this helped them to keep up their financial credit with their creditors, and also enabled them to pay their land revenue and tagavi dues without difficulty. Cotton crop, however, did not secure the expected prices; otherwise the condition of agriculturists would have been far more satisfactory than it is. Out of the land revenue demand of Rs. 3,45,296 for the year, Rs.

3,31,648 were collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 13,648 at the close of the year. Out of this sum Rs. 10,012 have since been recovered, and Rs. 231 have been remitted. Steps for the recovery of the small balance are in progress.

As regards the arrears on account of previous years, the total amount outstanding at the beginning of the year including the suspended land revenue of Rs. 2,13,556 for the preceding year was 2,38,833. Out of this amount Rs. 1,64,763 were recovered during the year and Rs. 16,617 were written off, leaving a balance of Rs. 57,453. The heavy amount of arrears at the close of the year is due to the fact that in some of the Bara villages the cotton crops which were overrun by flood waters had to be resown and when they were ready late in the season, prices suddenly went down and so for want of a market for this crop the arrears could not be recovered in full. As stated in para 12 above, the amount of Rs. 20,345 has, however, been recovered since.

At the beginning of the year, the outstandings on account of Tagavi were Rs. 1,08,864; but owing to the scarcity continuing in the beginning of the year further tagavi to the extent of Rs. 44,569 was advanced for seeds and bullocks, raising the total outstanding debt to Rs. 1,53,433. Out of this Rs. 211 were remitted, Rs. 48,648 were collected and the balance on this account stood at Rs. 1,04,574.

Licenses to possess guns continued to be given to agriculturists for the protection of property and person. This has given considerable relief to them from the attacks of the armed gangs of dacoits and outlaws who are very busy across the borders.

Revenue and Rent Paying Classes.

91. There is nothing calling for special remarks under this head.

92. The number of transfers of occupancy rights recorded in the Revenue Registers during the year was 107 against 229 in the previous year. The land so transferred was assessed at Rs. 2120 against Rs. 3,998 last year. The number of mortgages and sales of land was 259 and 170 respectively of the total value of Rs. 1,07,947 against 429 and 198 valued at Rs. 1,74,092 in the previous year. The decrease was due to the prevalence of normal agricultural conditions.

Out of the total area of 90 acres, assessed at Rs. 532 which changed hands between agriculturists and non-agriculturists, 66 acres, assessed at Rs. 382, have gone from agriculturists to Sowkars, while 24 acres, assessed at Rs. 150 were transferred from Sowkars to Agriculturists. The difference is not very large and could be explained by the fact that after the preceding year's scarcity the financial transactions between the agriculturists and their Sowkars had to be settled by means of the transfer of lands in some cases.

93. The total number of suits about land was 103 of which 97 were for recovery of rent and 5 for ejectment of tenants against 96 and 5 respectively last year.

CHAPTER V—REVENUE AND FINANCE.

94. A comparative statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the years ending 31st October 1918 and 31st October 1919 is embodied in Appendix XXII.

95. The total receipts for the year 1918–19 amounted to Rs. 5,93,470 against Rs. 7,93,774 in the previous year, showing a decrease of Rs. 2,00,304. The total ordinary expenditure amounted to Rs. 6,29,898 against Rs. 6,46,720 showing a decrease of Rs. 16,822. The closing balance of the year 1918–19 was Rs. 11,08,972.

96. On the receipt side the bulk of the decrease is under the following heads:—

		Rs.
(*a*)	Land Revenue.	2,43,307
(*b*)	Interest on loans.	5,447
(*c*)	Opium	3,003
(*d*)	Law and Justice	1,501
(*e*)	Printing Press	1,140
(*f*)	Jail	929
(*g*)	Police and Levies	213

There are seven main items (Rs. 33,407, 5,734, 5,273, 4,494, 2,479, 1,893 and 1,097) of increase under the heads Abkari, Miscellaneous, Public Works Department, Cambay Railway, Registration, Octroi duties and Education and Library.

97. On the expenditure side, there was a decrease of Rs. 90,904 under the following main heads :—

		Rs.
(*a*)	P. W. Department	73,848
(*b*)	Extraordinary Expenses	8,231
(*c*)	Cambay Railway	5,143
(*d*)	Opium	2,671
(*e*)	Octroi duties	1,011

The main items of increase are Land Revenue (26,838), Famine Relief (23,872), Education & Library (6,727), Police (4,942), General Administration (2,639), Printing and Stationery (2,367), Jail (1,352) and Levies (1,203). The heavy increase under the head 'Land Revenue' is due to the purchase of grass by the State for its own animals from outside on account of the fodder famine.

98. The State has no boats of any kind now.

99. The Salt and opium arrangements remained unaltered. The arrangement to import liquor from Godhra Distillery continued, as during the past year and has resulted in a profit of Rs. 30,278 over the previous year owing to the open auction system for liquor shops in the Cambay town having been introduced last year. The total consumption of liquor during the year 1918–19 was 19,505 gallons.

The open auction system was introduced in regard to the two opium shops in Cambay town with effect from the 1st November 1919 and the right to vend opium without restriction on prices at these shops fetched Rs. 8,505 for the year for which the right was sold. The shops were sold to entirely different licensees. Appendix XXI shows particulars about Excise Shops and Excise revenue during the year. There are at present 27 opium shops in this State against 34 last year. The decrease is due to the fact that 6 shops in outlying villages had to be closed for want of licensees to take them up whereas one shop at the village of Nagra quite close to Cambay town had to be closed in the interests of the open auction system.

CHAPTER VI—MEDICAL SERVICES.

100. There are 6 medical institutions in the State viz; (1) The Kennedy Hospital, (2) The Bibi Bahu Begam Saheb Free Dispensary, (3) The Diamond Jubilee Zenana Hospital, (4) The Tarapur and (5) Varasda Dispensaries and (6) The Veterinary Dispensary in Cambay. Relief at these institutions is being given absolutely free, no charge even for medicines being made. All these institutions are largely availed of by the people of Cambay town and villages.

101. The average daily attendance of patients in the Zenana Hospital was 132 as against 51.1 in the preceding year. This increase in a normally healthy year is due to the institution having more than regained its popularity among the females of the town under the Lady Doctor in charge.

This year again Influenza made its appearance but in a mild form and did not stay long. Arrangements were again made this year for the free distribution of medicines to those attacked by it at their own houses both in Cambay town and villages.

102. The details of the medical relief afforded by these institutions except the Veterinary Dispensary, are shown in Appendix XXIII.

103. The total number of patients treated in these institutions was 47,618 against 42,516 last year; as stated before, the attendance at the Zenana Hospital was much higher than in the preceding year and at other hospitals and dispensaries a large number of cases of malaria and eye-diseases came up for treatment.

104. The total number of surgical operations performed during the year was 464 against 691 last year; of these 20 were major and 444 were minor.

105. The two vaccinators continued to work under the supervision of the Chief Medical Officer as usual. One of them worked in the town and the other in the villages. 1,973 children against 2,005 last year were vaccinated.

Veterinary Dispensary.

106. 6,492 animals were treated against 6,420 in the previous year.

107. The total number of surgical operations performed upon animals was 493 against 489 of the previous year. Of these 173 were major and 320 minor.

108. All these six institutions were maintained at a total cost of Rs. 15,399 against Rs. 15,006 in the previous year.

Vital statistics.

109. Appendix XXIV gives details of births and deaths in the State during the year ending 31st May 1920.

110. The total number of births, registered during the year was 2,029 against 2,004, giving a birth rate of 27.93 per mille against 27.58 in the previous year.

111. The total number of deaths, registered during this year, was 3,176 against 4,145 in the previous year, giving a death rate of 43.71 per mille against 57.05 last year. There is a slight increase in the number of births in the City while there is a small decrease in births in the rural areas, though on the whole there is an increase. As regards deaths there is a decrease in the number of deaths both in the City and in the rural areas, due to the absence of any severe epidemic.

CHAPTER VII—EDUCATION.

112. Appendix XXV shows the number and nature of the Educational Institutions maintained by the State and the expenditure incurred on them. The figures of expenditure are for the year ending 31st October 1919.

113. The number of schools at the end of May 1920 was 45 against 44 in the previous year. The increase is due to the opening of a new school at the village of Vásná. The number of pupils studying in these schools was 4,233 against 3,814 in the preceding year. The increase is mostly due to fresh admissions. There has been an increase in the number of pupils in these schools of nearly 20% during the last two years.

114. Of the 10 students, sent up for the School Leaving Certificate Examination from the High School, 4 came out successful. The average daily attendance *viz.* 250 as against 236 shows a fair increase on the whole.

115. Besides these State Schools, there were 12 private schools, teaching elementary Gujrati. 316 students attended these schools. 10 schools taught the Koran, Arabic and Urdu with a little Gujrati in some. 13 Parsi children received instruction from their priest. One night school opened by the Cambay Education Society for teaching English continued to work during the year. 100 students attended this school.

116. The Veda Shâlâ and Jain Girls' School continued to receive State aid. The grant in aid to the Jain Girls' School was raised from Rs. 12 to 25 per mensem from 1st November 1919. The number of children, attending these institutions was 20 and 114 respectively. There are six

vernacular schools for the depressed classes recognised by the State according to the Grant-in-aid Code.

117. The Peace Celebrations in Cambay were marked by an announcement that Primary Education would be completely free throughout the State. Thus the concession came to be extended to all Boys' Primary Schools in Cambay town which did not enjoy it.

118. There are seven vernacular teachers, undergoing further training at the P. R. Training College for Men, Ahmedabad,- one in the 3rd year class, 4 in the 2nd year and 2 in the first year class with a monthly stipend of Rs. 12 each. This stipend has recently been raised to Rs. 15 per mensem owing to high cost of living. One female teacher, deputed to the Aligarh Mahomedan Girls' School for training continued to receive a monthly stipend of Rs. 15. She has now returned after finishing the second year's course there and is appointed Head Mistress of the Urdu Girls' School. Thus there were eight vernacular teachers (7 male and 1 female) in all under training, who were in receipt of State stipends during the year. No female student from this State was sent up during the year for further training at the Female Training College at Ahmedabad, as no one was forthcoming. One student studying for the Degree of M. B. B. S. continued to receive a scholarship of Rs. 15 per mensem during the year. One female student at the Victoria Jubilee Hospital, Ahmedabad, having returned after finishing her course in Midwifery and nursing, was appointed a nurse in the local Zenàna Hospital.

119. Of the six and four candidates that appeared at the Elementary and Intermediate Grade Drawing Examina-

tions respectively, 4 and 2 came out successful. Four students appeared at the London Chamber of Commerce Examination in Book-keeping and Accountancy of whom two were declared successful.

120. The total cost of education in the State, including scholarships, was Rs. 43,904 against Rs. 34,043 last year. The fee receipts for the year were Rs. 4,615 against Rs. 3,691 last year. The increase in the cost of education is mainly due to the improvements effected last year in the pay of Primary School Teachers whereas the increase in receipts is due to the raising of fees in the higher standards in the Cambay High School.

121. The annual examination of the High School was conducted as usual by the school staff. 41% of the boys passed as against 52% last year. The annual examination of the City Vernacular Schools and the Tarapur Boy's School which was being conducted before by the Deputy Educational Inspector, Kaira, was this year conducted by the Superintendent of City Schools with the help of the First Assistant and the Persian Teacher of the High School in order to enable boys desirous of joining the English Schools to join those institutions punctually in March, as in British Districts. The examination of the Village Schools was conducted as usual by the Deputy Educational Inspector, Kaira and his staff. The percentage of passes was 53.5% against 64.1 last year. The percentage of students in State primary schools to population is 5.2 against 4.8 last year. The percentage of students receiving instruction in all kinds of schools in the State to population is 7.1. The staff consists of 149 hands of whom 36 are trained against 132 of the last year of whom 32 were

trained. Thus the staff has been strengthened by the addition of 4 trained hands. Lessons in English continued to be given in the Main Girls' School and the Urdu Madressa. At present 7 male teachers in all are being trained at the P. R. Training College. Scholarships of Rs. 5 per mensem each continued to be given in the upper standards in the High School on the results of the terminal and annual examinations during the year. Compulsion which was temporarily suspended last year on account of scarcity was again enforced and introduced in a few more Vernacular Schools during the year. In villages education is also encouraged by giving class books free to those boys who pass the annual examination.

The control of the City Schools continued to remain with the Head Master, Cambay High School, while that of the village schools with the Vahivatdar, as arranged last year. This experiment has not been found to work satisfactorily, as what with examination work and what with supervision and control of the Primary Schools the Head Master could not pay the required attention to his own School; besides the Vahivatdar had too many things on his hands and so it was not possible for him to exercise efficient control over the rural schools. Moreover the teachers of these schools being interchangeable, much unnecessary correspondence used to crop up. It has, therefore, been decided to discontinue the present arrangements and to revert to the arrangement of having only one officer in charge of all the primary schools in the State. Recently the State has succeeded in securing the services of an experienced retired Assistant Deputy Inspector and all the schools will be placed under his charge on his joining in September next.

CHAPTER VIII—MISCELLANEOUS.

122. The State records have been classified and arranged in proper order. The useless records of the Administrator's office have been sorted and distroyed.

The Darbar Press.

123. The Darbar Press was worked as usual and it cost the State Rs. 3,336 as against Rs. 972 last year. The increase is due to the purchase of a Treadle machine. Mr. Jatashanker Ravishanker continued to work throughout the year as Press Manager and did good work. The Cambay Gazette, issued under the authority of the Darbar, was printed and published from this Press as hitherto. The printing of all forms required in the various offices of the State, the printing of the Annual Administration Report and other miscellaneous work are done at the Press.

Library.

124. The reading room of the Lord Reay Library continued to be kept up as a free institution for the public. The number of subscribers to the Library during the year was 13 against 20 last year. The total cost of maintaining the Library was Rs. 612 of which Rs. 497 were contributed by the State and Rs. 115 were raised as subscriptions.

125. The Library continued to be supplied free of charge with some parts of the Bombay Government Gazette, Government printed reports on various subjects and Press Notes as in previous years, and the concession is greatly appreciated.

Conclusion.

126. THE RAINFALL was generally satisfactory and the very good crops of Bajri and *Chino* which were reaped early in the year helped the poorer people to get over quickly the effects of the scarcity of the preceding year. Cattle regained condition: grass supplies were ample; and agricultural stock was replenished to a large extent. It is satisfactory to note that the agriculturists have now taken to storing fodder against a bad year as a result of the lesson which the last scarcity taught them. The high prices of agricultural produce helped the agriculturists a long way and although the prices of cotton fell later, their condition was on the whole satisfactory. Trade improved considerably and the very large number of marriages that took place during the year in anticipation of the Sinhasth gave it considerable impetus. Labour was very scarce and dear. Transport facilities did not improve at all and the timber and metal required for works were never received in sufficient quantities or in proper time owing to difficulties in obtaining wagons. After a prolonged correspondence with the Railway authorities a few wagons were made available by them for the State but they were found quite insufficient and the roads in the town are in an unsatisfactory condition owing to want of metal which has to be imported from Timba. Booking of goods was stopped for a long time. Even bricks could not be secured in large numbers for want of carts and bullocks. All these circumstances combined to prevent the whole of the Public Works Department programme being carried out and the total Public Works Department expenditure during the year of report was only two thirds of the preceding year's. Many of the works of public utility proposed to be carried out during the year had again to stand over on

account of these difficulties. One building for a Girls' School in Cambay was completed during the year. Prices in general did not revert to normal with the return of normal agricultural conditions. Except for some of the locally produced grains of which prices were somewhat lower than during the preceding year of scarcity, the prices of many of the necessaries of life were almost as high and many poor people were heard to say that even during the year of scarcity they were slightly better off in this respect than during the year of report which was a year of normal rainfall. These high prices of the necessaries of life forced up wages in all branches, and naturally servants of the State in the lower grades felt the pinch considerably. Extra allowances were sanctioned for them during the year and a general revision of the rates of pay in all departments which will meet the necessities of the case has been made and submitted for sanction. It is hoped to introduce the new rates of pay from the beginning of the next financial year of the State *viz.* from the 1st November next, when the extra allowances sanctioned during the year will cease in most cases.

The introduction during the year of the Record of Rights in land is one of the important items to note in the revenue administration of the State. The Record has been thoroughly checked in most villages and fair copies of the Record will be made as soon as the forms are received.

Efforts are being made to improve the Cotton crop in the State. In common with many other parts of Gujrat the crop here is of a very mixed character and so loses considerably in value. In consultation with the Agricultural Department, a large quantity of pure seed of Deshi Cotton has been obtained and distributed to a group of about a

dozen villages where care is being taken to see that no other cotton shall be sown as far as possible. Care will also be taken, when this cotton crop is gathered, to help the cultivators to get their full price for it and to have it separately ginned in order to get unmixed seed from it.

The extension of section 61A of the Bombay District Police Act has proved to be a great help to the cultivators. Their crops have enjoyed an immunity from the ravages of stray cattle which they never possessed before.

The question of improving the Cambay port which was postponed during the War has been revived during the year and after fresh examination of the situation a revised scheme has been submitted for sanction. It is now awaiting expert scrutiny at the hands of the Superintending Engineer, N. D.

The City Survey of the town of Cambay could not be started during the year for want of suitable surveyors. Efforts are again being made to secure the required number of suitable men who will be trained by the State and utilised subsequently for City Survey work.

It is satisfactory to note here that the marriage of the elder daughter of Her Highness Nawab Khurshedjahan Begum took place during the year.

The Assistant Administrator, Mr. M. O. Patel, who was at his post throughout the year has again put in a good year's work and has been a source of much relief to the Administrator in the matter of a large quantity of routine work.

The financial position of the State continues satisfactory. The details of the invested capital are as under:—

	Rs.
English War Loan £ 6500 (Face value)...	97,500
Indian War Bonds 5½% Do. ...	50,000
Indian War Bonds 5½% Do. ...	1,50,000
Government of India 3½% loan Do. ...	3,35,000
Do. 4% Do. Do. ...	33,800
Shares in the Nawab of Cambay Mills, Do. ...	2,00,000
Deposit with the Nawab of Cambay Mills ...	4,00,000
Treasury Bills.	3,50,000
Fixed Deposit with the National Bank of India	75,000
Debentures of the Willingdon Sports club ...	10,000
Total Rs.	17,01,300

Besides converting the old War Bonds of the value of Rs. 1,75,000 into the 1930 War Bonds, the State has invested a further sum of one lakh in these new War Bonds.

The Peace Celebration Day (19th July 1919) was celebrated here with befitting ceremonial. A Darbar was held in which the terms of Peace were read out. Eleven prisoners were released and the sentences of others were reduced. Sweets were distributed to School children in the town and villages and the poor fed. Again during the four days set apart for general Peace Celebrations in December last the poor were fed, and school children also received sweets and were feasted. Public buildings were illuminated, there was a display of fireworks and sports were arranged and the days were observed as days of general rejoicings. Several public spirited gentlemen made large contributions for the festivities and the people of the State zealously took part in these celebrations. They continue to be loyal and law-abiding and have held themselves aloof from the agitation over the Turkish Peace terms which is going on elsewhere.

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APPENDICES.

Appendix 1.

NAMES OF HIGH OFFICIALS in the CAMBAY STATE, showing changes in personnel during the year 1919-20.

No.	Names of Officers.	Appointment.	Period.		Remarks.
			From.	To.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Mr. V. K. Namjoshi...	Administrator.	1-6-1919	31-5-1920	
2	„ Motibhai Ottambhai Patel, B. A.	Assistant Administrator.	1-6— 19	31-5— 20	
3	„ Manibhai Gulabbhai Desai, B. A., LL. B.	Sar Nyayadhish.	1-6— 19	31-5— 20	
4	„ Jagannath Sagoon Rege ...	Superintendent of Police.	1-6— 19	31-5— 20	
5	„ Ziyauddin Mahomed Usman Maulvi, High Court Pleader 1910	First Class Magistrate.	1-6— 19	31-5— 20	
6	„ Chunilal Shyamji Trivedi, High Court Pleader 1909	Nyayadhish.	1-6— 19	31-5— 20	
7	„ Bhudhardas Bechardas Vora, L. R. C. P., L. R. C. S. (Edin). L. M. (Edin. & Glasgow) L. F. P. & S. (Glasgow)	Chief Medical Officer.	1-6— 19	30-11- 19	Resigned.
	„ Hiralal Ranchhoddas, L. M. & S..	Do.	1-12- 19	31-5— 20	
8	Miss Agnes David	Zenana Hospital Doctor.	7-7— 19	31-5— 20	The post was vacant till 6-7-19.
9	Mr. A. F. Quadros	Veterinary Assistant.	1-6— 19	31-5— 20	
10	„ Jahangir Rustomji Jussawala, B. E. (Civil)	State Engineer.	1-6— 19	31-5— 20	
11	„ Damodar Narayan Limaye, B. Sc. B. E. (Civil)	Assistant Engineer.	1-6— 19	25-1— 20	Resigned very lately.
12	Mirza Fatehalikhan...	Daroga of Import Duty.	1-6— 19	31-5— 20	

13	R. S. Mohanlal Bapulal Raval ...	Treasury Officer.	1-6— 19	21-5— 20	
14	Mr. Maganlal Bhailal Desai.. ...	Vahivatdar.	1-6— 19	31-5— 20	
15	Mr. Bhogilal Nagindas Shah, M. A. S. T. C. D.	Head Master, High School.	1-6— 19	31-5— 20	

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Appendix II.

LIST of LAWS in force in the CAMBAY STATE.

Description.	Whether adapted from British Act.	Introduced during year under report.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4
Indian Penal Code	Yes.	Introduced in previous years.	
Indian Criminal Procedure Code ...	,,		
Indian Evidence Act	,,		
The New Indian Civil Procedure Code.	,,		
Abkari Act	,,		
Salt Act	,,		
Opium Act	,,		
District Police Act	,,		
Gambling Act	,,		
Mamalatdar Courts Act	,,		
Tariff Act	,,		
Post Office Act	,,		
Limitation Act	,,		
Registration Act	,,		
Stamp Act.	,,		
Indian Companies Act	,,		
The Explosives Act of 1908.	,,		
Cambay Municipal Act	,,		
An Act for the Protection of Wild Birds and Animals	,,		
Factory Act	,,		
Insolvency Act	,,		
Rules under the Deccan Agriculturists Relief Act	,,		
Lunatic Asylums Act (XXXVI) of 1858	,,		
The Official Secrets Act	,,		
The Bombay Public Conveyances Act VI of 1863	,,		
The Bombay Municipal Servants Act V of 1890	,,		
The Indian Soldiers (Litigation) Act No. IX of 1918	,,		
The Indian Treasure Trove Act (VI of 1878)	,,	Yes.	
The Bombay Boiler Inspection Act 1891	,,	,,	
The Suits Valuation Act VII of 1887...	,,	,,	
The Court Fees Act VII of 1870 ...	,,	,,	
The Indian Arms Act XI of 1878 ...	,,	,,	

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Appendix III.

STATEMENT showing the STRENGTH, COST and other particulars of the MILITARY FORCE in the CAMBAY STATE, 1919–20.

Arm of Service.	Number of Fighting Officers and Men.						Details of Force at the end of the current year.						Total cost on account of pay and allowances of the force, including followers.	Remarks.
	At the end of the last year.	Recruited this year.	Casualties.			At the end of the current year.	Number of Regiments, Battalians or Batteries.	Number of guns.	Number of Men.					
			Died.	Invalided.	Discharged, deserted &c.				European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Cavalry ...	*15	...	...	...	5	*10	...	...	...	...	1	9	Rs. 18,181	*Out of 15 men five were merely Darbar dependents not actually working in this force and their allowance was wrongly charged under this head. They are now transferred to the proper head and hence the decrease in the number of men.
Artillery ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	9	...	...	...	1		
Infantry ...	145	27	1	2	25	144	...	...	...	...	...	144		
Total ...	161	27	1	2	30	155	...	9	...	...	1	154		

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Appendix IV.

STATEMENT showing the STRENGTH, COST, DISCIPLINE and EDUCATION of the POLICE for the year 1919-20.

Description of Officers.	Number.	Pay of the Grade.	Total cost.	Punishments.			Rewards.		Education		Remarks.
				Dismissed.	Fined, degraded or suspended departmentally.	Punished judicially.	By promotion.	By money.	Number able to read and write.	Number under instruction.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Rs									‡ The Police Sowars get Rs. 20 P. M. as Horse allowance besides their pay from Rs. 12 to 15. They also enjoy a concession to buy grass at Rs. 5 per 1000 lbs. On account of the dearness of provisions they are given a Local allowance of Rs. 5 each besides the Grain Compensation allowance of Rs. 3 and Fodder allowance of Re. 1.
Police Superintendent ...	1	300	Rs. 52726	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Chief Constables	2	50 to 60		...	...	...	...	...	2	...	
Naib Fouzdars	2	25 to 30		...	1	...	...	...	2	...	
Minor Police Officers (foot)	26	14 to 20		...	10	...	4	3	23	...	
Police Constables	109	10 to 12		...	40	1	31	2	59	...	
Chief Mounted Police Officer	1	40		...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Police Sowars	18	12 to 15‡		...	4	...	...	...	16	...	
Armed Police Officer ...	1	30		...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Minor Armed Police Officers	6 *	14 to 20		...	2	...	...	...	6	...	
Armed Police Constables ...	55	10 to 12		...	25	...	13	1	30	...	* Though there are 62 armed police men, there are only 29 serviceable guns.

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Appendix V.

STATEMENT showing the working of the POLICE in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1919–20.

STATE.	Number of offences.		Number of accused arrested.		Number of accused sent for trial.		Number of accused convicted.		Number of accused acquitted or discharged.		Percentage of convictions (Cols. 3 & 5).		Percentage convicted of accused sent for trial.		REMARKS.
	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	9
Cambay	133	121	87	119	71	104	57	77	14	22	65.52	64.7	80.28	74.04	

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Appendix VI.

STATEMENT showing the VALUE of PROPERTY STOLEN and AMOUNT of RECOVERIES in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1919-20.

State.	Amount stolen.		Amount recovered.		Percentage of recoveries of property stolen.		Remarks.
	Past year.	Present year	Past year.	Present year	Past year.	Present year	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Cambay	8,028	3,920	5,851	2,221	72.88	56.66	

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APPENDIX VII.

Appendix

STATEMENT showing the number of CRIMES COMMIT-AWAITING TRIAL in the CAMBAY

Number.	Description of offences.	Number of offences.			Number of cases disposed of during past year.	Number of cases disposed of during present year.	Number of persons apprehended.	Number of persons convicted.
		Balance from past year.	Committed during the present year.	Total.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	A. *Under Indian Penal Code.*							
1	Offences of Abetment	...	1	1	4	1	1	1
2	Offences against Public Tranquillity ...	...	17	17	19	17	57	53
3	Offences by or relating to Public servants	...	1	1	...	1	1	...
4	Contempts of lawful authority of Public Servants	...	55	55	2	55	55	55
5	False Evidence and offences against Public Justice	...	2	2	...	2	2	2
6	Offences relating to Weights & Measures	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Offences affecting the Public Health, Safety, Convenience, Decency or Morals	...	1	1	3	1	1	...
8	Offences affecting the Human Body :—							
	(*a*) Affecting life	...	2	2	4	2	2	2
	(*b*) Of Hurt	...	76	76	78	75	190	13
	(*c*) Of Wrongful Restraint	...	2	2	5	2	5	...
	(*d*) Of Criminal Force and Assault ...	...	18	18	7	17	52	5
	(*e*) Of Kidnapping and abduction ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(*f*) Of Rape	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(*g*) Of Abortion	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(*h*) Of Unnatural Intercourse... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Offences against Property:-							
	(*a*) Of Theft	...	28	28	25	28	36	36
	(*b*) Of Extortion	...	1	1	...	1	3	...
	(*c*) Of Robbery and Dacoity	...	1	1	...	1	1	...
	(*d*) Of Criminal Misappropriation of Property	...	1	1	8	1	1	...
	(*e*) Of Criminal Breach of Trust ...	1	5	6	5	5	9	8
	(*f*) Of the Receiving of Stolen property	...	3	3	4	2	3	2
	(*g*) Of Cheating	...	10	10	3	9	19	9
	(*h*) Of Mischief	...	14	14	28	14	42	1
	(*i*) Of Criminal Trespass	...	15	15	16	15	26	22
10	Offences relating to Documents and to Trade or Property marks	2	...	2	...	...	2	...
11	Offences relating to Marriage	1	19	20	22	20	31	1
12	Defamation	...	3	3	4	3	18	...
13	Criminal Intimidation. Insult and Annoyance	1	103	104	104	104	237	4
	Total ...	5	378	383	341	376	794	214

VII.

TED, number of CASES DISPOSED OF and CASES STATE, during the year 1919-20.

NUMBER OF PERSONS SENTENCED.									TERMS OF IMPRISONMENT.											REMARKS.
Simple imprisonment.	Rigorous imprisonment.	Simple fine.	Rigorous fine.	Fine only.	Whipping.	Total.	Number of persons acquitted or discharged.	Number of persons confined being insane.	Number of persons died during or before trial.	Under 1 month.	From 1 to 2 months.	From 2 to 3 months.	From 3 to 6 months.	From 6 to 12 months.	From 1 to 2 years.	From 2 to 3 years.	From 3 to 5 years.	Above 5 years.	Life imprisonment.	Capital punishment.	Awaiting trial.	
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	2	...	...	51	...	53	4	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	1	1	53	...	55	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	
...	6	1	1	5	...	13	173	...	...	..	5	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...													
...	3	...	2	...	...	5	44	...	...	5	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2	22	...	1	3	8	36	...	...	...	6	7	2	4	4	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	5	...	3	..	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	6	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
...	1	...	1	..	..	2	...	..	...	..	...	1	1		...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
...	5	...	1	3	...	9	9	...	...	...	...	1	3	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	
...	...	...	...	1	...	1	41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	9	...	2	...	11	22	4	...	..	1	..	...	4	4	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	..	..	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
...	...	...	1	..	.	1	29	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	..	..	.	..	18	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	1	.	3	.	4	233	..	..	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2	56	3	14	120	19	214	[illegible]	1	1	17	19	19	18	10	4	1	..	1	...	...	19	

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Total ...	5	378	383	341	376	794	214
	B. *Offences against other laws.*							
14	Abkari Act	...	1	1	...	1	1	1
15	Cattle Trespass Act	...	2	2	5	2	6	3
16	Gambling Act	...	...	...	6	...	...	...
17	District Police Act	...	223	223	54	223	231	211
18	Arms Act	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
19	Prisons Act	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Customs Act	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Factory Act	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22	Municipal Act	...	53	53	42	53	53	48
23	Opium Act	...	3	3	...	3	3	3
24	Disobedience to orders duly promulgated by the Administrator	...	12	12	25	12	12	10
	Total ...	...	294	294	135	294	306	276
	Grand Total ...	5	672	677	476	670	1100	490

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10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
2	56	3	14	120	19	214	566	1	1	17	12	12	18	10	4	1	...	1	...	...	12	
...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	3	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	1	...	1	209	...	211	18	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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...	...	...	...	48	...	48	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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...	...	...	...	10	...	10	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	1	...	4	271	...	276	28	...	2	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2	57	3	18	391	19	490	594	1	3	22	12	12	18	10	4	1	...	1	...	...	12	

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Appendix VIII.

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER of OFFENCES reported and dealt with by the various Courts in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1919-20.

Name of Court.	Number of offences reported during the year.		Number of persons dealt with.								Persons disposed of.						Persons remaining at the end of the year.	Remarks.
			Remaining at the end of last year.	Brought to trial in 1920.					Total.									
	Past year.	Present year.		Arrested by Police.	Upon warrant.	On Summons.	Voluntarily.	Arrested in presence of the magistrate.	Past year.	Present year.	Discharged.	Acquitted and compounded.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped or transferred.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	
Magistrate 1st Class.	472	670	4	114	37	939	...	1	989	1,091	63	529	482	6*	4	11	* As the 6 accused in the F. C. Magistrate Court whose cases have been disposed of by the Sessions Court, are included in cols. 13 & 14 the total of col. 15 is left blank.	
Do. Nyayadhish	4	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	4	1	...	...	1	...	...	1		
Assistant Administrator and subdivisional First Class Magistrate.	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	...	...	...		
Sessions Court ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2*	4*	...	...	...		
Total ...	476	672	5	114	37	943	...	1	993	1095	63	531	490	...	4	12		

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Appendix IX.

STATEMENT showing the RESULTS of APPEALS against decisions passed by the CRIMINAL COURTS in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1919-20.

Tribunal.	Number of applications.	Number of persons and cases.																Remarks.
		Applications rejected.		Sentenced.						Proceedings quashed.		Referred.		Further inquiry &c. ordered.		Pending.		
				Confirmed		Modified.		Reversed.										
		Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Hazoor Court... ...	11	6	4	3	1	4	4	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	
Sessions Court ...	15	...	...	8	5	12	7	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	26	6	4	11	6	16	11	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	

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CIVIL WORK–Nature and value of ORIGINAL

Number.	Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during the year received by transfer or on demand.		Total.		Disposed of during the year.		Closing balance.	
		Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	Nyayadhish Court	24	45	294	311	318	356	273	311	45	45
2	Sar Nyayadhish (Small Causes Court)... ...	10	6	399	624	409	630	403	621	6	9
3	,, above Rs. 5000	...	1	2	4	2	5	1	3	1	2
4	Sardars' Court ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total ...	34	52	695	939	729	991	677	935	52	56

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X.

SUITS filed and disposed of during the year 1919-20.

Suits filed during the present year.										Suits disposed of during the present year.					
Value.	Suits re-landed property.	Suits for money transactions.	Suits for other rights.	No. of suits under Rs. 50.	No. of suits above Rs. 50 and under Rs. 100.	No. of suits above Rs. 100 and under Rs. 500.	No. of suits above Rs. 500 and under Rs. 1,000.	No. of suits above Rs. 1,000 and under Rs. 5,000.	Above Rs. 5,000.	Exparte.	Admitted and Compromised.	Struck off the file.	Otherwise disposed of.	Value.	Average duration.	Remarks.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Rs.									Unvaluable.					Rs.		
82623	86	168	57	32	52	149	24	17	37	36	131	6	138	66645	59.7	
13662	8	613	...	542	82	...	...	...	...	192	336	21	72	13570	30.5	
39167	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	1	...	2	25787	92.3	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
135452	94	784	58	574	134	149	24	17	41	228	468	27	212	106002	60.83	

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Appendix XI.

CIVIL WORK—RESULTS of APPLICATIONS for execution of decrees.

Number.	Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Value of opening balance for present year.	Applications brought to the register.			Total.			Disposed of.			Closing balance.			Nature of applications pending disposal at the close of the year 1919-20.			Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Under 6 months.	Under 12 months.	Above 12 months.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
				Rs.			Rs.			Rs.			Rs.			Rs.				
1	Nyayadhish Court.	59	88	54,329	229	339	81,071	288	427	135400	200	353	75781	88	74	59,619	35	18	21	
2	Sar Nyayadhish Court	12	38	1,712	207	304	8,514	219	342	10226	181	318	9,154	38	24	1,072	23	1	...	
	Total ...	71	126	56,041	436	643	89,585	507	769	145626	381	671	84935	126	98	60,691	58	19	21	

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Appendix XII.

CIVIL WORK—Value and Results of Appeals in CIVIL SUITS.

Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during.		Total.		Disposed of during		Closing balance.		Value of appeals filed during		How Disposed of.										Average duration.		Remarks.
													Decisions confirmed.		Decisions reversed.		Decisions amended.		Cases remanded for re-trial.		Cases Compromised and otherwise disposed of.				
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
											Rs.	Rs.													
Sar Nyayadhish Court First appeals.	4	...	34	30	38	30	38	28	...	2	7990	6296	19	16	4	7	12	4	...	...	3	1	54	37.8	
Hazur Court Second appeals.	2	2	20	10	22	12	20	10	2	2	11677	1635	16	3	2	1	1	...	...	...	1	6	42	50.5	
Hazur Court First appeals.	...	...	4	5	4	5	4	5	...	...	62	235	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	21.25	37	
Total...	6	2	58	45	64	47	62	43	2	4	19729	8166	36	19	9	8	13	4	...	...	4	12	39.08	41.76	

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Appendix XIII.

STATEMENT showing the number of persons confined in the JAILS and LOCK-UPS in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1919—20.

Station.	Number of prisons.	Number of prisoners.				Daily average in Jail.		Number of prisoners remaining at the end of the year.	Total cost of Jail and prisoners.	Daily average of under trial prisoners.	Remarks showing mortality among convicts in Jail.
		Remaining from last year.	Admitted during the year.	Total.							
				Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Cambay.....	1	44	93	126	137	36.8	45.7	45	Rs. 7255	8.8	

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Appendix XIV.

REGISTRATION of DOCUMENTS in the CAMBAY STATE.

Name of State.	Nature of documents presented.												Documents registered.		Value of documents registered.		Document of which registry has been refused.		Documents remaining unregistered pending enquiry at the close of the year.		Remarks.
	Documents presented for registration.		Mortgages.		Sale deeds.		Wills.		Money bonds.		Miscellaneous.										
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Cambay ...	1372	1096	652	453	593	548	70	41	...	...	57	49	1371	1096	Rs. 605102	Rs. 545760	...	1	1	...	

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Appendix XV.

STATEMENT showing the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE on account of REGISTRATION during the year 1919-20.

Description.	Past year.			Present year.			Remarks.
	Number of deeds.	Value of property.	Fees realized.	Number of deeds.	Value of property.	Fees realized.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	
Mortgages	652	177940	2830	458	134738	2128	
Sale deeds	593	279498	8363	548	259120	7727	
Wills	70	106955	610	41	102600	365	
Miscellaneous	57	40708	1156	49	49302	1481	
Total ...	1372	605101	12959	1096	545760	11701	
Deduct Expenditure ...	...	...	586	...	...	734	
Net Income...	...	...	12373	...	...	10967	

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Appendix XVI.

RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CAMBAY MUNICIPALITY during the year ending 31st October 1919.

Name.	Opening balance.	Receipts.		Total in current year.	Expenditure.		Closing balance.	Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Cambay Municipality ...	12092	43809	44754	56846	35214	37688	19158	
Nawab Jafferalli Khan Waterworks	7211	30517	41028	48239	30811	44494	3745	
Total ...	19303	74326	85782	105085	66025	82182	22903	

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STATEMENT of RAINFALL in the CAMBAY STATE.

STATE.	June 1919.		July 1919.		August 1919.		September 1919.		October 1919.		November 1919.		December 1919.		January 1920.		February 1920.		March 1920.		April 1920.		May 1920.		Total.		Total of previous years.		Average of past 5 years.		Remarks.
	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	
1	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		9		10		11		12		13		14		15		16		17
Cambay	...	3.59	8.23		9.28		0.76		0.69		...		...		1.77		...		...		...		1.9		25.41		12.83		27	

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Appendix XVIII.

STATEMENT of prices of FOOD—GRAINS.

State.	Articles.	During May 1919 (past year.) per maund of 40 lbs.	During May 1920 (present year.) per maund of 40 lbs.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
		Rs. a.	Rs. a.	
Cambay	Bajri	5 1	2 14	
	Kodra	3 4	1 8	
	Wheat-red...	5 4	3 4	
	Do. white	6 8	4 8	
	Rice	4 1 to 9 12	4 0 to 8 0	
	Dal Tuver	5 12 to 7 8	5 4 to 6 8	
	Muth	Not available.	4 0	
	Gram	3 4 to 4 4	3 4 to 3 12	

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Appendix XIX.

AGRICULTURAL STOCK in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1919—20.

District.	Year.	Cattle.					Horses.				Asses.	Sheep and Goats.	Ploughs.		Carts.		Remarks.
		Bullocks.	Cows.	He-buffaloes.	She-buffaloes.	Total.	Horses.	Mares.	Colts and Fillies.	Total.			With two Bullocks.	With four Bullocks.	Riding.	Load carrying.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Cambay City ...	1919-20	1125	342	128	1185	2780	172	13	4	189	555	997	190	10	347	242	
„ Villages...	„	11331	6340	645	12883	31199	49	160	44	253	337	4907	4450	...	121	2428	
	Total ...	12456	6682	773	14068	33979	221	173	48	442	892	5904	4640	10	468	2670	
	1918—19	11463	4203	956	13096	29718	241	147	49	437	833	5550	4585		3077		

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Appendix XX.

EXPENDITURE on PUBLIC WORKS, during the year ending 31st October 1919.

State.	Description of works.	State funds.			Local funds.			Grand Total.
		Original.	Repairs.	Total.	Original.	Repairs.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Cambay	Buildings	Rs. 25085	Rs. 15593	Rs. 40678	Rs. 11190	Rs. 591	Rs. 11781	Rs. 52459
	Wells, Tanks, and Water works ...	10563	1200	11763	592	1777	2369	14132
	Roads	...	374	374	4055	54	4109	4483
	Reclamation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gardens	...	9532	9532	...	...	...	9532
	Establishment	13633	...	13633	4790	...	4790	18423
	Miscellaneous	...	2219	2219	...	571	571	2790
	Bunder Decca & creek improvement.	...	1933	1933	...	...	...	1933
	Total ...	49281	30851	80132	20627	2993	23620	103752

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Appendix XXI.

STATEMENT showing the EXCISE SHOPS and EXCISE REVENUE of the CAMBAY STATE, during the year ending 31st October 1919.

Name of State.	Country Spirit.		Opium.		Ganja.		Toddy.		Total.		Remarks.
	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.	
Cambay	12	109719	27	43304	4	1868	2	2950	46	157841	

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APPENDIX XXII.

Appendix

No. I—RECEIPTS.

No.	Items.	Samvat year 1974 ended 31st October 1918.	Samvat year 1975 ended 31st October 1919.	Increase.	Decrease.
I	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Land Revenue...	366455	123148	...	243307
2	Law and Justice	19971	18470	...	1501
3	Stamps	11879	12083	204	...
4	Registration	10520	12999	2479	...
5	Customs and Port dues	5192	5762	570	...
6	Salt Compensation & Nazarana...	40249	40325	76	...
7	Abkari including Bhang, Ganja and Poisonous substances ...	81214	114621	33407	...
8	Opium	46307	43304	...	3003
9	Octroi, cotton and import duties...	59228	61121	1893	...
10	Education and Library... ...	3830	4927	1097	...
11	Jail	2172	1243	...	929
12	Interest	81443	75996	...	5447
13	Cambay Railway	35285	39779	4494	...
14	Police and Levies	805	592	...	213
15	Medical	22	31	9	...
16	Printing Press	1511	371	...	1140
17	P. W. Department	8651	13924	5273	...
18	Miscellaneous	19040	24774	5734	...
	Total Receipts ...	793774	593470	55236	255540
	Deposits and Advances...	171727	242638	70911	...
	Excluded Funds ...	119461	116664	...	2797
	Total ...	1084962	952772	126147	258337
	Opening Balance ...	1034732	1285587	250855	...
	Grand Total ...	2119694	2238359	377002	258337

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No. II—EXPENDITURE.

No.	Items.	Samvat year 1974 ended 31st October 1918.	Samvat year 1975 ended 31st October 1919.	Increase.	Decrease.
I	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Darbar expenses...	134840	136418	1578	...
2	Pensions...	9505	10310	805	...
3	Parvarshis	7667	7572	...	95
4	Charities & Religious Grants...	8381	9417	1036	...
5	Hakdars' allowances	4275	4054	...	221
6	Police	47784	52726	4942	...
7	Levies	16978	18181	1203	...
8	Public Works Department ...	153980	80132	...	73848
9	Grant-in-aid	40000	40000	...	...
10	General Administration... ...	29503	32142	2639	...
11	Abkari	17954	17841	...	113
12	Opium	12964	10293	...	2671
13	Registration	586	734	148	...
14	Octroi Duty Establishment ...	5109	4098	...	1011
15	Customs and Port charges. ...	2914	3088	174	...
16	Law and Justice	13558	14479	921	...
17	Jail	5903	7255	1352	...
18	Medical Charges	15006	15399	393	...
19	Education and Library	25549	32276	6727	...
20	Printing and Stationery	2206	4573	2367	...
21	Tribute paid to the British Government	21924	21924	...	...
22	Interest on Debts	6646	6325	...	321
23	Land Revenue	45701	72539	26838	...
24	Cambay State Railway	...	—5143	...	5143
25	Miscellaneous	1918	1755	...	163
26	Extraordinary Expenses. ...	15869	7638	...	8231
26A	Famine Relief	...	23872	23872	...
	Total Expenditure ...	646720	629898	74995	91817
	Deposits and Advances ...	71220	378454	307234	...
	Excluded Funds	116167	127224	11057	...
	Total payments ...	834107	1135576	393286	91817
	Closing Balance ...	1285587	1108972	...	176615
	Grand Total ...	2119694	2244548	393286	268432

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Appendix XXIII.

STATEMENT of MEDICAL RELIEF afforded in the CAMBAY STATE during the year 1919-20.

Dispensary.	Number of patients treated.		Results of Indoor-patients.				Expenditure	Daily average.	Remarks.
	Out-door	In-door.	Discharged.	Absented	Died.	Remaining under treatment.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
							Rs.		
Kennedy Hospital	13820	320	281	29	3	7	5638	138.7	
Bibi Bahu Begam Saheb Free Dispensary ...	14604	...	...	...	...	...	3987	149.5	
Zenana Hospital	9681	...	...	...	...	...	2659	132.1	
Tarapur Dispensary ...	4277	...	...	...	...	...	1164	72	
Varasada Do.	4916	...	...	...	...	...	834	56.5	
Total ...	47298	320	281	29	3	7	14282	548.8	

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Appendix XXIV.

VITAL STATISTICS of the CAMBAY STATE for the year 1919-20.

Name.	Population.	Births.		Increase.	Decrease.	Deaths.		Increase.	Decrease.	Ratio per 1000 of population.				Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.			Past year.	Present year.			Births.		Deaths.		
										Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Cambay City... ...	28134	703	742	39	...	1419	1197	...	222	24.99	26.37	50.44	42.55	
Do. Villages ...	44522	1301	1287	...	14	2726	1979	...	747	29.22	28.90	61.23	44.45	
Total ...	72656	2004	2029	39	14	4145	3176	...	969	27.58	27.93	57.05	43.71	

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Appendix XXV.

PARTICULARS as to the SCHOOLS MAINTAINED by the CAMBAY STATE, for the year 1919-20.

Number of Schools.		Description of Schools.	Number of pupils on Roll on 31st May.		Daily average attendance.		Expenditure.			Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year	Past year.	Present year.	High School.	Secondary	Primary.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
							Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	1	Cambay High School...	282	306	236	250	10238	...	...	
1	1	Tarapur A. D. M. English School ...	37	22	32.5	27.2	...	993	...	
29	30	Vernacular Schools in the City and villages..	2504	2819	1874.5	2005.6	...	...	20544	
3	3	Urdu (Madressa) ...	182	191	103.7	118.7	...	...	2013	
1	1	Sanskrit Shala ...	37	30	24.5	23.1	...	...	292	
1	1	School for the Depressed Classes	27	50	14.9	21.1	...	...	162	
36	37	Total ...	3069	3418	2286.1	2445.7	10238	993	23011	
8	8	Girls' Schools... ...	745	815	523.9	561.9	...	...	8032	
44	45	Grand Total ...	3814	4233	2810	3007.6	10238	993	31043	

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BUDGET ESTIMATE of the CAMBAY STATE, for the year ending 31st October 1920.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
Items.	Amount.	Items.	Amount.
1	2	3	4
1 Land Revenue... ...	437914	1 Darbar Expenses:—	
2 Law and Justice ...	15190	*A.* For H. H. the Nawab and H. H. Sikendar Jahan Begam Saheb...	38812
3 Stamps	10000	*B.* Allowances paid to the Nawab's relatives and dependents	108792
4 Registration	10000	*C.* Provision Department.	63250
5 Customs and Port dues...	4240	*D.* Miscellaneous ...	18878
6 Salt Compensation and Nazarana	40275	2 Pensions	11200
7 Abkari including Bhang, Ganja and Poisonous Substances	105935	3 Parvarshis	8610
8 Opium	40000	4 Charities or Religious grants	8925
9 Octroi, cotton and import duties	53000	5 Hakdars' allowances ...	4220
10 Education and Library	4925	6 Police	60718
11 Jail	1115	7 Levies	20908
12 Interest...	79634	8 P. W. Department ...	162489
13 Cambay Railway ...	35000	9 Grant-in-aid	53000
14 Police and Levies ...	200	10 General Administration.	35777
15 Medical...	25	11 Abkari	19297
16 Printing Press	80	12 Opium	12025
17 P. W. Department ...	7665	13 Registration	1038
18 Miscellaneous	2060	14 Octroi Duty Establishment	6458
		15 Customs & Port charges.	2858
		16 Law and Justice ...	16490
		17 Jail	7454
		18 Medical charges ...	22140
		19 Education and Library...	50164
		20 Printing & Stationery...	3414
		21 Tribute paid to the British Government ...	21924
		22 Interest on Debts ...	6425
		23 Land Revenue	69396
		24 Cambay Railway ...	4600
		25 Miscellaneous	3105
		26 Extraordinary Expenses.	15000
Total Receipts...	848258	Total ...	857367
Deposits and Advances...	402250	Deposits and Advances...	382000
Excluded Funds ...	158531	Excluded Funds...	199694
Total ...	1409039	Total ...	1439061
Opening Balance ...	115703	Closing Balance...	85681
Grand Total...	1524742	Grand Total ...	1524742

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CHAPTER I—GENERAL AND POLITICAL.

THERE is no change in the area which is 350 square miles. The population according to the Census of 1921 is 71,715, as against 72,656 according to that of 1911. The gross revenue on the average of the last five years is Rs. 7,79,879; while the land revenue alone for the year under report is Rs. 3,64,251.

2. The general statistics given in this report, relate to the period from 1st June 1920 to 31st May 1921; but the financial figures cover the period from 1st November 1919 to 31st October 1920.

3. His Highness Nazmuddaulah Mumtaz-ul-Mulk Mominkhan Bahadur Dilaverjang Nawab Hussein Yaver Khan Bahadur is a Mogul of the Shiah faith; he being a minor, the State continued to be under British Administration. The Nawab is now 10 years old. He continued his studies at the Rajkumar College at Rajkot during the year. He returned to Cambay during the College vacations. During the vacations, a coach was employed to help him with his studies. He rides well and knows cycling. Accompained by his mother, he made a short stay at Mount Abu during the hot weather.

It has to be recorded with regret that Mirza Fidauddinkhan, cousin of His Highness the minor Nawab, died on the 6th March 1921.

Tribute.

4. The State pays an annual tribute of Rs. 21,924-4-0 to the British Government.

The King Emperor's Birth day.

5. The 5th of June 1920 being the birth day of His Imperial Majesty the King-Emperor, was celebrated with even more than the pre-war enthusiasm. Sweets were distributed to school children and a special Durbar was held in honour of the occasion. The Royal Salute was fired in the morning. The day was observed as a public holiday throughout the State.

Visits of Political Officers.

6. Mr. J. Ghosal, C. I. E., I. C. S., Commissioner, N. D., visited Cambay once during the year.

Changes in Personnel.

7. Mr. M. O. Patel, Assistant Administrator, reverted to British Service on the 12th April 1921. The vacancy caused by his reversion was filled up on the 3rd July 1921 by the appointment of Mr. D. H. Desai. Rao Saheb M. B. Rawal, Treasury Officer, has resigned the State Service after having been on leave from 2nd September 1920. Mr. P. K. Nagarwadia, District Agricultural Inspector, acted as Treasury Officer during the absence of Rao Saheb Rawal. The post has been lately filled up permanently by the appointment of Mr. R. D. Tambe, who took over charge on the 18th June 1921.

CHAPTER II—ADMINISTRATION OF LAND.

8. The Cambay State consists of 88 villages besides the town of Cambay. Five of these are Inami or alienated, and two are Jivai i. e. held on life tenure. Of the latter, one, Vâsnâ, is given for the maintenance of a cousin of His Highness the Nawab, Mirza Mahomed Kulikhan, and the

other, Vainaj, to another cousin Mirza Fidauddinkhan who died on the 6th March 1921. As reported last year the village is at present under State management, as the deceased Mirza Fidauddinkhan was heavily indebted to the State. A scheme for the settlement of the debt has already been submitted, on which orders are awaited. The Survey Settlement was introduced in 1893, and it will expire in 1923.

Jamabandi.

9. The subjoined statement gives the results of th Jamabandi settlement for the year under report as compare with that for the previous year:—

Year.	Fixed land revenue.	Miscellaneous land revenue.	Total.
Land Revenue for Samvat 1976 (1st November 1919 to 31st October 1920)...	Rs. 3, 03, 326	Rs. 58,336	Rs. 3,61,66
Land Revenue for Samvat 1977 (1st November 1920 to 31st May 1921)	3,35,870	28,381	3,64,2
Decrease ...	...	29,955	...
Increase ...	32,544	...	2,58

10. The increase in fixed land revenue is mainly to waste land assessed at Rs. 6,791 having been taken u cultivation during the year and to the levy of assess amounting to Rs. 26,869 on the expiry of the period which certain lands were given out for cultivation, fre revenue. Also a comparatively small area of land relinquished this year.

The decrease in Miscellaneous Land Revenue is accounted for by the remission on account of the failure of the rains, of at least half the revenue from grazing and by the fact that the preceding year's figure includes recoveries made during the whole of the last financial year; while that for the year under report is upto the 31st May 1921 only.

Revenue Collection.

11. The land revenue due for the year 1920–21 was Rs. 3,64,251 of which Rs. 1,44,230 or nearly 40% was recovered upto 31st May 1921, leaving a balance of Rs. 2,20,021. Out of this balance Rs. 2,507 have been recovered subsequently and the balance of Rs. 2,17,514 stands suspended. The heavy outstandings at the end of the year are due to the grant of full suspensions in Bahra villages and of half suspensions in Charotar villages on account of the failure of rains.

Licenses for guns continued to be given freely to agriculturists during the year for protection of crops from wild animals. Licenses for protection of person and property from the inroads of armed gangs of dacoits and outlaws, which continued to menace the rural areas, were also granted during the year on a large scale.

Outstanding Balance.

12. The balance outstanding at the end of October 1919 for the complete Samvat year 1975 was Rs. 57,454. Adding to this, the suspended land revenue for the year 1919–20 (Samvat year 1976) of Rs. 13,648, the total outstanding balance at the end of May 1920 was Rs. 71,102. Out of this amount Rs. 32, 929 have been recovered and Rs. 1,463 written off upto the end of May 1921, leaving a balance of Rs. 36, 710. A further sum of Rs. 204 has been recovered

after May 1921. As regards the amount written off, Rs. 456 were remitted under the remission and suspension rules of the State, Rs. 411 on account of water rate on Kyâri (Rice) lands which failed to get water owing to deficient rainfall, and Rs. 596 on account of the arrears of occupants who had left the State and whose land remained waste.

Waste Land.

13. The total area of waste land during the year was 13,686 acres as against 15,619 in the previous year. 9,028 acres of these are cultivable and the rest uncultivable. Of this cultivable area, about 8,748 acres remain uncultivated owing to the paucity of cultivators. The progress in bringing land under cultivation which these figures show will now receive a great set-back, as large areas of land nominally taken up for cultivation by three lease-holders have been relinquished by them since the close of the year owing to a succession of bad years. Efforts are in progress to secure tenants for the waste lands.

Tagavi Advances.

14. The amount of Tagavi outstanding at the beginning of the year was Rs. 1,00,278; adding to this, the amount of Rs. 4,296 on account of interest, the aggregate amount due stood at Rs. 1,04,574. A sum of Rs. 482 was advanced during the year as Tagavi to 6 Khatedars for seed and wells. The total demand thus stood at Rs. 1,05,056 of which Rs. 27,302 were recovered and Rs. 354 were remitted during 1920-21, leaving a balance of Rs. 77,400 at the end of May 1921. Recoveries on a large scale were, of course, impossible owing to the failure of rains over a large area.

Local Fund.

15. The Local Fund cess is lavied on the Land Revenue assessment at the rate of half an anna in the rupee.

Rs. 17,403 as against Rs. 16,575 in the preceding year were due for recovery during the year, of which Rs. 7,030 were recovered and Rs. 2 were remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 10,371 at the close of the year as compared with Rs. 1,444 at the end of the last year. The large increase in the arrears at the close of the year is mainly due to the suspension, on account of the unfavourable season, of land revenue in the Bahra and Charotar villages. The increase in Local Fund demand is due to fresh lands having been taken up for cultivation during the year.

CHAPTER III—PROTECTION.

Legislation.

16. The State has adopted most of the important British Indian Acts in force in the Bombay Presidency. The Indian Motor Vehicles Act, No. VIII of 1914, was introduced during the year. The Indian Companies Act VII of 1913 was also adopted during the year. This State has its own Limitation, Registration, Stamp and Municipal Acts. The boilers of all the factories in the State were examined by the Government Inspector of Steam Boilers, Ahmedabad, in accordance with the arrangement sanctioned by Government.

17. The laws specially introduced in this State are shown in appendix II. But in practice all British Acts which have not been specially introduced in the State either wholly or in a modified form are also followed in the disposal of cases arising under them.

(a) Military Force.

18. The State does not maintain any regular Military Force; but what remains of the old irregular levies is shown in Appendix III.

19. The cavalry consists of 10 men of whom 8 are His Highness the Nawab's Body Guard, armed with swords only. The remaining 2 are flag bearers. The artillery comprises men, kept for firing cannon as salutes on ceremonial occasions and festivals. There are nine guns at present in a serviceable condition. The Infantry (153 men) consisted of the Biraderi force. It is divided into two sections (i) the Tehnatis (Personal Servants to Darbar relatives) under His Highness's cousin, Mirza Mahomed Kulikhan and (ii) Watchmen of the gates of the town. These latter are under the Superintendent of Police. Three new men were appointed to replace the old Biraderi men under the Superintendent of Police during the year. The increase in the number of men is due to vacancies having been filled up, the sanctioned strength being 160.

20. This irregular force was maintained at a cost of Rs, 18,850 as against Rs. 18,181 in the previous year. The increase of Rs. 669 is due to the increase in the number of men actually on duty and to the revised scale of pay introduced during the year.

(*b*) **Police.**

21. The total strength of the Police Force, including Armed men, was 221 (vide Appendix IV). The following are the details:–

	Sanctioned No.	Vacancies.
Armed men...	62	1
Sowars	19	0
Foot Police	140	12
	221	-13=208

The system of regular patrols by the Sowars continued to be in force and was found to be of great assistance in checking

crime in the State. On the borders of the State, gangs of dacoits and outlaws were, as in the previous year, giving cause for considerable anxiety. But the anxiety this year was deepened by the fact that on some occasions these dacoits devoted their attention to some of the State villages also.

22. The maintenance of this force cost the State Rs. 59,590 against Rs. 52,726 in the year preceding. The increase is due to a large number of vacancies being filled up during the year. The ratio of police to population and area per square mile continued to be the same i. e. .3 p. c. and .63 respectively.

Working of the Police.

23. The comparative results of the working of the Police during the year of report and the previous year are shown in Appendix V. The total number of cases reported to the Police was 106 against 121 in the last year; of these 60 went up for trial, 24 were struck off the registers under magisterial orders and 22 remained undetected at the end of the year. The number of offences shows a falling off from year to year. The number fell from 133 in 1918-19 to 106 in the year 1920-21. But unfortunately this falling off does not provide a proper index to the sense of security enjoyed during the year of report. Armed gangs of dacoits and outlaws were infesting territory adjoining the borders of this State in previous years but they devoted their attention to some of the State villages also during the year and owing perhaps to the prevailing scarcity, even found imitators and coadjutors among the people of the State. The immunity from serious crime which the State practically enjoyed during the past few years inspite of such crime being frequent on the borders of the State, was unfortunately not maintained

during the year. The foot and mounted Police were, however, as vigilant as in previous years, and did their best to cope with the situation which had thus arisen and which was causing grave anxiety for the last few months. It may be mentioned to the credit of the State Police force that they were successful in arresting three notorious dacoits and murderers who were long evading arrest for which large rewards were notified by the British authorities.

The armed Police of the State are still not properly armed and representations have already been submitted to the authorities for sanction to supply a sufficient number of guns from the Arsenal. This defect in equipment constituted a considerable handicap to the Police force in dealing with the serious crime which was rather frequent during the last few months.

24. Of the 60 cases sent up for trial, 54 ended in conviction, 2 were compounded, 1 resulted in acquittal and 3 remained pending for disposal at the end of the year.

25. Of the 96 persons arrested by the Police, 89 were sent up for trial, 3 were released by the Police themselves and the cases of 4 remained undisposed of at the end of the year. Of the 89 persons sent up for trial, 72 were convicted, 9 were acquitted, the cases of 5 persons were compounded and those of 3 remained undisposed of at the end of the year.

26. The precentage of convictions to arrests (75) and that of convictions to committals to Courts (80.9) show appreciable improvements as compared with the last year's figures. The results are satisfactory so far as they go. In 3 cases, 3 accused persons were arrested by the Police and

released as it was subsequently found that no cases could be proved against them.

27. Appendix VI gives the values of property stolen and recovered during the year, as compared with the previous year. With the increase of nearly 150% in the value of property stolen, the percentage of recoveries also increased from 56.66 to 62.06 per cent in the year under report.

As previously stated, the Police were successful in arresting in the year three notorious outlaws and the work of the Department continued to be satisfactory under the careful supervision of the Superintendent of Police. To him and to his subordinates credit is due for a year's onerous and trying work–work which had often to be performed in the face of difficulty and discouragement.

28. The Police force was regularly drilled as usual.

Village Police.

29. The total strength of the village Police, excluding Mukhis and Deputy Mukhis, during the year was 382 against 383 last year. It was maintained at a cost of Rs. 27,252 in cash and Rs. 415 in land as against Rs. 19,410 in cash and Rs. 415 in land in the preceding year. The increase was due to the grant, with effect from 1st November 1920, on account of the high cost of living, of an extra remuneration of one rupee per month to each Rawania on cash remuneration. The number of Mukhis and Deputy Mukhis was 83 and 67 respectively against 84 and 68 in the previous year. The decrease of 1 each in the number of Mukhis and Deputy Mukhis was due to the fact that the posts of Mukhi and Deputy Mukhi of the village of Patlawadi were abolished as that village is uninhabited.

(c) Criminal Justice.

30. The details of the working of the Criminal Courts in the State are shown in appendices VII and VIII.

31. 894 cases, including 7 pending at the close of the preceding year, came up for disposal against 677 last year. Of these 882 were disposed of leaving a balance of 12 at the close of the year. There is a considerable increase in the total number of cases due chiefly to an increase in the number of offences of hurt and under section 61A of the District Police Act extended to the villages of the State.

32. The total number of persons, involved in these cases was 1488, including 12 awaiting trial at the end of the preceding year. The cases of 1,474 of these were disposed of, leaving a balance of 14 awaiting trial at the end of the year.

33. Of these 1,474 men, 112 were discharged, 672 were convicted, 686 were acquitted either after trial or composition; while 4 persons concerned in 3 cases died a natural death.

34. Of those convicted, 62 were sentenced to imprisonment only, 9 to imprisonment with fine, 597 to fine only and 4 to whipping.

35. The average duration of cases disposed by the Magistrate during the year was the same as last year viz. 4.3 days.

Besides these cases, 28 miscellaneous cases came up for disposal before the First Class Magistrate. Of these 27 were disposed of, leaving one in balance at the end of the year. The total number of persons involved in these cases was 32. The cases of 31 of these were disposed of, leaving one awaiting trial at the end of the year.

The Sessions or Sar Nyayadhish Court.

36. All the 8 cases, committed to the Court of Session against 5 last year were disposed of.

37. The average duration of these cases was 13.75 days against 12.8 last year.

38. Appendix IX shows the working of the Appellate Courts in criminal cases.

39. 31 appeals were filed during the year of report against 26 in the previous year. All of these were disposed of during the year: Four were rejected, the decision of the Lower Court was confirmed in 15, modified in 3, reversed in 7 and proceedings were quashed in 2.

40. The average duration of these appeals was 15.55 days against 12.1 last year.

(*d*) Civil Justice.

41. Appendix X gives details of the Civil Suits filed in and disposed of by the three Civil Courts viz. the Nyayadhish, the Sar Nyayadhish and the Sardars' Courts.

42. 1086 cases including 56 pending at the close of the previous year, came up for disposal against 991 during that year. Of the 1086 cases, 1024 were disposed of against 935 in the previous year, leaving a balance of 62.

43. The value of the suits, filed during the year was Rs. 81,996 against Rs. 1,35,452 in the previous year.

44. The average duration of these suits was 158.85 days against 60.83 last year. The increase is due to the fact that one suit above Rs. 5000 took 10 months and 27 days for its final disposal.

Sardars' Court.

45. One case of the value of Rs. 124 was filed in this Court during the year of report and it was disposed of before the close of the year. It took 192 days for its disposal.

Revenue Court.

46. Sixty two possessory suits, including 2 of the last year came up for disposal against 64 in the previous year. 58 suits were disposed of and 4 remained pending. 46 cases were tried and 12 were struck off the file. 34 of these cases were examined in the Administrator's office and the work was found to be generally satisfactory.

47. There were 54 rent suits, including 2 of the last year for disposal against 33 in the previous year. All of them were disposed of during the year of report. Of the 54 rent suits, 45 were examined in the Administrator's office. The work done appeared to be satisfactory.

Village Panchayats.

48. The number of village panchayats (85) remained the same as during the previous year.

49. They disposed of all the 165 petty criminal cases brought before them against 292 last year.

50. 567 civil cases, including 50 from the preceding year, came up before them against 428 in that year. They amicably settled 212 cases and certified 314 as fit for trial in the Civil Courts, leaving 41 undisposed of at the close of the year. The panchayat system is found to work fairly well. It relieves the Courts of a good deal of petty work and saves the people much expense of litigation, and much of the delay inseparable from Law Courts. The system was found

to be capable of expansion and as a tentative measure, selected panchayats have been granted increased powers in civil and criminal matters during the year.

Execution of Decrees.

51. Appendix XI gives details regarding the execution of decrees in the Civil Courts.

52. 549 fresh applications were made which, with 98, the opening balance, made up a total of 647. 555 of these were disposed of, leaving a closing balance of 92.

Civil Appeals.

53. Appendix XII gives details of civil appeals filed and disposed of during the year.

54. 71 appeals, 56 first and 15 second, were due for disposal against 47 last year. Of these 50 first and 9 second appeals were disposed of, leaving a balance of 6 first and 6 second appeals.

55. As to the first appeals disposed of, the decision of the lower court was confirmed in 29, reversed in 10, amended in 8 and 3 cases were compromised or otherwise disposed of.

56. In the second appeals, the decision of the lower court was confirmed in 6, reversed in 2 and one case was compromised or otherwise disposed of.

57. The total value of property, concerned in the appeals filed during the year, was Rs. 13,917 against Rs. 8,166 last year.

(e) **Extradition.**

58. The surrender of 16 persons was demanded by this State, nine from the British Government and seven from the Baroda State. 10 of these persons were surrendered,

9 by the British Government and 1 by the Baroda State, leaving 2 persons to be surrendered at the end of the year, while the requisitions for 4 persons were withdrawn.

59. The surrender of 18 persons, including 2 of the last year, was demanded from this State during the year of report: eight by the British Government and ten by the Baroda State. 4 were surrendered to the British Government and 7 to the Baroda State. The requisitions for 1 by the British Government and 2 by the Baroda State were withdrawn, leaving 4—3 to the British Government and 1 to the Baroda State–to be surrendered at the end of the year.

(*f*) Prisons.

60. Appendix XIII gives the details of Jail Administration.

61. Of the 123 prisoners in the Jail against 137 last year, 45 were those of the previous year and 78 were admitted during the year of report. 33 of these remained undischarged at the end of the year.

62. The daily average of prisoners during the year of report was 42.5 against 45.7 last year.

63. The Jail was maintained at a cost of Rs. 7,530 against Rs. 7,255 in the previous year. The increase is due to the revised scale of pay of the Jail establishment.

64. The prisoners are employed in indoor work and weaving carpets, khadis and chadars with fly shuttle and other looms and are also employed in grinding grain. They do outdoor work at times on Public Works as labourers under Police guards. The value of the work done by them was Rs. 2,202 against Rs. 1,243 in the previous year. The increase is due to the prisoners having been sent more often

on outdoor work and the rates of their wages having been revised.

65. Twenty nine prisoners were given the benefit of the rules in chapter 21 of the Jail Manual, referring to remissions in consideration of good conduct and efficiency in the work entrusted to them. Three prisoners were given special remission for good work. Two of these prisoners were given special remissions of 30 days and 3 days for doing good work at the Darbari Printing Press and the third of 15 days for doing good work as a carpenter.

Registration.

66. Appendices XIV and XV give details of the registration of documents and fees realised.

67. 1,241 documents were presented for registration against 1,096 in the preceding year. All of them were registered during the year of report. The total value of property concerned in these documents amounted to Rs. 7,15,650 against Rs. 5,45,760 last year. The increase was partly due to the scarcity which prevailed.

(*h*) Municipal Administration.

68. The Municipal Administration of the town of Cambay continued to be carried on by a Board consisting of thirteen members including the President; six of the members are elected and six nominated. The Assistant Administrator, Mr. Patel continued to be the President of the Board upto 12th April 1921 when he reverted to British Service and Mr. Maulvi, First Class Magistrate, acted as President of the Board thereafter. Mr. Chunibhai Manibhai, retired Treasury Officer of this State, continued to hold the office of Vice-President throughout the year.

69. The municipal revenue was spent as usual on the maintenance of roads and conservancy and sanitation in the town, the schools, hospitals and dispensaries being maintained by the State.

70. The Municipal Income for the Samvat year 1976 (1919–20) was Rs. 52,970 with an opening balance of Rs. 19,158 making a total of Rs 72,128 available for expenditure, against Rs 56,846 in the previous year, as shown in Appendix XVI. A grant of Rs. 25,000 as in the previous year was made from the State. No new metalled road was made during the year. Repairs to old roads cost Rs. 11,438. The total length of Municipal roads remained the same viz. 12,570 yards. The Municipality could not take up the new road provided in the Municipal budget even this year owing to the scarcity of wagons for transport of metal from outside. It would be possible to get some metal during the current rainy season.

71. The total expenditure amounted to Rs. 43,905 against Rs. 37,688 last year. Appendix XVI also gives details of the income and expenditure of the Nawab Jaffer Alikhan Waterworks which are under municipal management. The income from the Waterworks for the Samvat year 1976 (1919–20) was Rs. 42,972 with an opening balance of Rs. 3,745 making a total of Rs. 46,717 available for the year against Rs. 48,239 in the preceding year. The total expenditure on this account amounted to Rs. 37,960 against Rs. 44,494 last year.

(*i*) Census of 1921.

71A. The Census of the State was taken on the evening of the 18th March 1921 as in other parts of India. The census operations in the town of Cambay were carried

on under the direct supervision of the President of the Cambay Municipality and those in the villages under that of the Vahivatdar of this State, both of whom worked under the general control and supervision of the Administrator, who was the Chief Census Officer for the State. The last enumeration showed that the total population in the State on the night of the 18th March 1921 was 71,715 against 72,769 in 1911, being made up of 27,260 souls in the town of Cambay, including the railway limits and the Port of Cambay, and 44,455 souls in the villages including the railway limits in Sayama and Târâpur. The total population of the State showed a decrease of 1.4 per cent on the whole. The rate of decrease in the population of the town is higher than in the villages. Much of the decrease in the town population may be said to be due to the ravages of influenza which prevailed in a severe epidemic form in 1918–19.

(*j*) City Survey.

71B. The City Survey operations actually commenced from the 1st November 1920. The theodolite work was first commenced by the Head Surveyor on that date and completed by the 20th January 1921. The Plane Table Survey was commenced on the 6th December 1920. The Superintendent of Land Records, Northern Division, visited this place first on the 31st January 1921 and inspected the City Survey work for 2 days. By this time 927 properties had been surveyed.

Mr. C. S. Trivedi, Nyayadhish Cambay, was appointed Enquiry Officer in connection with the City Survey, in addition to his own duties from the 25th March 1921. He was deputed to Ahmedabad to receive training from the Enquiry Officer there for a period of 10 days. The enquiry was actually commenced on the 7th April 1921. The Superinten-

dent, Land Records, N. D., again visited this place for inspection on the 10th June 1921. At this time the title etc. of 828 properties had been enquired into. The City Survey work is being carried on under the advice of the Superintendent, Land Records, N. D., to whom thanks are due for much assistance rendered.

CHAPTER IV—PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION.

Weather and Crops.

72. Appendix XVII gives details of rainfall for the year under report.

73. The fall registered was only 12.34 Inches. The average fall, as given in the rainfall data for Cambay is 27.72. The average of the falls of the preceding five years is 24.9 Inches.

	Average as per rainfall Data.	Fall in 1920.
June	3.89	5.36
July	10.72	3.40
August	7.82	3. 1
September	4.40	0.57
October	0.71	0. 0
Total...	27.54	12.34

There was good rain in June only. It was in serious defect in July and August and disappeared altogether after small drizzles in September. The total quantity received was only half of the average of the last five years. Rice and Kodra crops were failures. In some places Bajri where it was early sown was fairly good. The rain practically disappeared

in September with the result that the Kathol crops yielded little or no outturn. The cotton crop in most places in the Bahra villages withered for want of rain. Taking advantage of the rainfall in the month of August, wheat was sown in some villages; but as the land was not sufficiently wet, there was practically speaking no yield. In a few villages only where the showers happended to be heavier, some crop of wheat and cotton was gathered. Owing to deficient rainfall there was scarcity of fodder and the people, specially the agriculturists, had to suffer great hardships, specially towards the end of the fair season. The outturn of the main crops during the year as compared with that of the last year was as under:—

	1920.		1921.	
	Area.	Yield.	Area.	Yield.
Rice	4465.26	12 Annas.	1181.36	Nil.
Bajri	19929.29	12 „	17667.27	6 to 8 As.
Jowar	13349. 2	10 „	11253.21	2 „
Cotton	22461.24	10 „	10099. 7	1 Anna.
Wheat	27190. 9	11 „	8889. 7	4 to 6 As.
Tobacco	2079. 9	8 „	2293.39	8 „
Bavto } Kodra }	8831.33	12 „	7830.24	2 „
Oilseeds	1725. 7	8 „	2521.26	Nil.
Others	392.31	8 „	307. 6	1 Anna.

74. The number of irrigation wells and tanks was 1278 and 39 against 1271 and 39 respectively in the previous year. The small increase in the number of wells is due to a few old wells having been brought into use for the purpose of irrigation on account of the scarcity.

75. The area of land under irrigation during the year was 1597.4 as against 1493.36 in the preceding year. The slight increase is due to the necessity of growing fodder under irrigation owing to the general shortage of fodder supplies. The completion of all the distributaries and necessary regulating works at the Kenewal Tank has resulted in nearly 700 acres of waste land being taken up for cultivation. Demands for further sub-distributaries are increasing. The Mahemedabad Tank irrigated 242 acres which is about three fourths of its irrigable capacity.

Wages and Labour.

76. Labour continued to be scarce and the rates of wages have also mounted up; unskilled labourers are earning eight annas to one rupee a day and skilled ones from Rs. 1¼ to Rs. 2½. The unsatisfactory season resulting in the continuance of high prices of food stuffs and other articles of human consumption mainly accounts for this.

77. Appendix XVIII gives the prices of food grains during the year as compared with the previous year. The prices of wheat, muth and gram continued to be nearly the same. The prices of Bajri and Kodra went up during the year as they had mostly to be imported from outside. The prices of rice and dâl have been lower than those in the preceding year, as there was a large stock of these cereals, imported from outside during the preceding year. The prices of ghee, milk and sugar continued to be very high.

Agricultural Stock.

78. Appendix XIX gives details of Agricultural Stock. There is a slight increase under the head "cattle" which is satisfactory, considering the fact that there was considerable difficulty as regards fodder, specially towards the close of the year.

Trade.

79. The sea-borne trade registered at the Port of Cambay during the year was valued at Rs. 3,88,707 against Rs. 5,10,356 last year. The decrease is due to a large deficiency in the import of miscellaneous articles by sea during the year. On the whole the sea-borne trade was inactive during the year of report on account of the scarcity.

80. The following figures will show at a glance the volume of trade as compared with the previous year:—

IMPORTS.

		No. of vessels.	Capacity in Khandis.	Value of goods.
				Rs.
1920—21	Laden ...	212	23,274	2,96,954
Do	Empty ...	38	895	...
	Total ...	250	24,169	2,96,954
1919—20	Laden ...	290	31,705	4,45,270
Do	Empty ...	53	965	...
	Total ...	343	32,670	4,45,270

EXPORTS.

	No. of vessels.	Capacity in Khandis.	Value of goods.
			Rs.
1920—21	Laden ... 79	3,027	91,753
Do	Empty ... 173	21,383	...
	Total ... 252	24,410	91,753
1919—20	Laden ... 76	2,846	65,086
Do	Empty ... 266	30,141	...
	Total ... 342	32,987	65,086

Manufactures and Industries.

81. The chief manufactures of Cambay are cotton and silk fabrics and various articles of agate and cornelian stone. Cotton yarn of various counts and cloth are manufactured in the Nawab of Cambay Mills. There is one flour mill which continued to work to its full capacity during the year. One oil factory and one gôl factory were opened during the year.

82. The total number of hand looms in Cambay was 3242 against 3585 last year. They gave employment to 4745 persons against 7118 last year. Some 1600 looms were not worked during the year of report. The trade in agate and cornelian stones which in normal times gives employment

to about a thousand persons suffered to a certain extent on account of high prices in general and reduced demand for the manufactured articles.

The Dye-house and other Factories.

83. The State Dye-house continued to work as usual, providing coloured yarn for use in the Jail.

The Saw Mill in Cambay did a large amount of work as in previous years, and supplied the needs of various distant places also.

84. The Nawab of Cambay Mills worked throughout the year. During 10 months and 9 days of active work excluding holidays and the days when the Mill was closed owing to the examination of the boilers by the Boiler Inspector, N. D., Ahmedabad, 3,608 bales of yarn, weighing 14,43,200 lbs. were produced against 2,866 bales, weighing 11,46,400 lbs. The dye-house in this Mill dyed 84 bales of cotton yarn against 31 bales last year. This dye-house worked during the year simply to supply the necessary materials for the weaving department of the Mill. Out of 264 looms in the weaving department in the Mill, about 125 were working during the year. They used up 4,57,724 lbs. of yarn turning out cloth, weighing 4,26,728 lbs. Cloth of the value of Rs. 7,76,686 was sold during the year. The average number of workmen employed in this department was 155 per day; while in spinning, dyeing etc. the number employed was 925 per day. The sanitary and medical arrangements for the Mill labourers continued to be fairly satisfactory. Their housing arrangement still requires improvement. The school opened last year for giving elementary instruction to the children of labourers living in the Mill chawls was fairly attended.

85. The management of the Mill continued in the hands of the Agents, Secretaries and Treasurers, Messrs. Maganlal Harilal & Co. The Mill has on the whole made good profit and the Company have sanctioned a fair dividend to the shareholders.

86. The Mill has a ginning factory attached to it and 10 gins, out of 34 erected, turned out 198 bales of ginned cotton against 557 last year when 20 gins were working. The factory worked for 34 days. The other two ginning factories at Cambay turned out 2,147 bales of ginned cotton against 4,282 last year. The season for both was dull, as the local cotton crop was absolutely poor.

Public Works.

87. Appendix XX gives details of the Public works executed from State and Local Funds during the Samvat year 1976 (1919-20). The item of Rs. 33,436 for buildings includes Rs. 1,824 for the Gawâra Girls' School, Rs. 5,704 for the Dantârwâdâ Vernacular School, Rs. 1,191 for the District Dâk Bungalow with stables and out-houses at Valli, Rs. 989 for Chowrâs in the villages, Rs. 7,124 for Warders' quarters near the Jail, Rs. 679 for Head Constable's quarters, Rs. 4,813 for quarters for constables, Rs. 2,805 for the Overseer's quarters and a store-room at the Kenewal Tank at Valli, Rs, 1,239 for the compound wall of the Cambay High School, Rs. 406 for the extension of the Darbari Press building, Rs. 792 for a surgical room etc. in the Kennedy Hospital, Rs. 1,256 for certain improvements in the Police Head Quarters, Rs. 832 for latrines attached to the Gawârâ Branch School No. 2, and Rs. 2,290 for the Jailor's residential quarters. Out of the amount of Rs. 6, 521 for wells etc. Rs. 2,692 were spent on the distributaries etc. of the Kenewal Tank, and Rs. 3,722 on the channel from Rangpur

to Bhât Talaodi. Among the new buildings completed during the year under report, are quarters for the Jailor, and quarters for 8 warders in the vicinity of the Jail, a building for the Anglo-vernacular School at Tarapur and an open-air School at Vâdolâ. The building for the Boys' Branch School No. I reported to have been left incomplete last year was also completed this year. The conservation work of the Jumma Masjid on lines suggested by the Archæological Department continued during the year. Improvement to the Vaduchi channel, a preliminary work in connection with the improvement of the Cambay creek and harbour, suggested by the Superintending Engineer, N. D., was carried out during the year.

88. The total gross earnings of the Tarapur-Cambay Railway during the year ending March 1921 amounted to Rs. 87,531 against Rs. 78,007 in the corresponding previous year; while the net receipts excluding working expenses charged by the B. B. & C. I. Railway to the State, amounted to Rs. 28,169 against Rs. 34,487 in the previous year.

89. The total amount invested by the State in the construction of the line, including the Bunder Siding amounted to Rs. 8,80,538 according to the B. B. & C. I. Railway account upto 31st March 1921. The extension of the siding to the Bunder head has cost the State Rs. 1,90,341 bringing the total cost to the State to Rs. 10,70,879.

General condition of the State and the people.

90. The hopes of a period of continued prosperity which the satisfactory monsoon of 1919, following a bad season, had engendered, were unfortunately not realised. Latterly, every other year is proving to be a year of scarcity, falsifying the experience of past years and upsetting seriously the budgets of

the rayats. The year of report had many things in common with the year 1918–19. As in that year, June, July and August gave about half the average rainfall, while in September and October there was practically no rain. The rainfall was thus very meagre and except for early sown Bajri and a little wheat and cotton in a few Bahra villages where the late showers happened to be fairly strong, there was no crop at all. But the situation did not prove to be as serious eventually as it did in the year 1918–19. There were stocks of grain and fodder left over from the year preceding (1919–20). There was no demand at all for State relief and wages were maintained at a high level. The State had purchased grass, anticipating that the rayats would require it late in the season. This came in very useful when nearly the whole of last June passed away without any signs of rain and cattle began to suffer for want of fodder. That in a year like this no State relief should have been necessary is ample testimony to the growing staying power of the rayats. Out of the total land revenue demand of Rs. 3,64,251 for the year, Rs. 1,44,230 were collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 2,20,021 suspended at the close of the year. Out of this sum, Rs. 2,507 have since been recovered and Rs. 15,996 have been remitted. The recovery of the land revenue of Bahra villages has been suspended in full as in these villages there were practically no crops. In Charoter villages also the collection of not less than half the land revenue has been suspended.

As regards the arrears on account of previous years the total amount outstanding at the beginning of the year including suspended land revenue of Rs. 13,648 for the preceding year was Rs. 71,102. Out of this amount Rs. 32,929 were recovered during the year and Rs. 1,463 were written off leaving a balance of Rs. 36,710.

At the beginning of the year, the outstandings on account of Tagavi were Rs. 1,04,574, and Rs. 482 were advanced for wells etc. raising the total outstanding debt to Rs. 1,05,056. Out of this, Rs. 354 were remitted, Rs. 27,302 were collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 77,400 to be collected.

Licenses to possess guns continued to be given to agriculturists for the protection of property and person. This has given them considerable relief.

Revenue and Rent Paying Classes.

91. There is nothing calling for special remarks under this head.

92. The number of transfers of occupancy rights recorded in the Revenue registers during the year was 139 against 107 in the previous year. The land so transferred was assessed at Rs. 6,067 against Rs. 2,120 in the year previous. The number of mortgages and sales of land was 334 and 180 respectively of the total value of Rs. 1,51,797 against 259 and 170 valued at Rs. 1,07,947 in the previous year. The increase was due to the year being one of scarcity.

Out of the total area of 90 acres, assessed at Rs 567 which changed hands between agriculturists and non-agriculturists, 49 acres assessed at Rs.209 have gone from agriculturists to sowkars; while 58 acres assessed at Rs. 358 were transferred from sowkars to agriculturists.

93. The total number of suits about land was 120 of which 54 were for recovery of rent, 44 for ejectment of tenants and 22 for issue of injunctions.

CHAPTER V—REVENUE AND FINANCE.

94. A comparative statement of Receipts and Dis-

bursements for the year ending 31st October 1919 and 31st October 1920 is embodied in Appendix XXII.

95. The total receipts for the year 1919–20 amounted to Rs. 10,50,097 against Rs. 5,93,470 in the previous year, showing an increase of Rs. 4,56,627. The total ordinary expenditure amounted to Rs. 6,83,533 against Rs. 6,29,898 showing an increase of Rs. 53,635. The closing balance of the year 1919–20 was Rs. 20,13,103.

96. On the receipt side the bulk of the increase is under the following heads:—

	Rs.
(*a*) Land Revenue	4,24,069
(*b*) Interest on loans	12,560
(*c*) Octroi duties	11,647
(*d*) Abkari	10,417
(*e*) Opium	7,892
(*f*) Law and Justice	7,626
(*g*) Stamps	1,595
(*h*) Jail	959
(*i*) Registration	653
(*j*) Police and Levies	138

There are four items (Rs. 9,495, 5,292, 4,998 and 998) of decrease under the heads of Miscellaneous, Cambay Railway, Public Works Department and Customs and Port dues.

97. On the expenditure side, there was a decrease of Rs. 47,360 under the following main heads:–

	Rs.
(*a*) Famine Relief	23,872
(*b*) Land Revenue....	14,158

(*c*)	Extra-ordinary expenses.	6,832
(*d*)	Pensions.	969
(*e*)	Charities and Religious grants.... ...	783
(*f*)	Opium	646

The main items of increase are Darbar Expenses (45,933), Grant-in-aid (13,000), Public Works Department (10,269), Education and Library (7,626), Police (6,864), Cambay State Railway (5,404), Medical Charges (4,465), Octroi Duty Establishment (2,397), General Administration (1,621) and Abkari (1,462). The heavy increase under the head 'Darbar Expenses' is mainly due to the additional expenses incurred in connection with the marriage of Shahjadi Khanum Saheba and high prices in general.

98. The State has no boats of any kind now.

99. The salt and opium arrangements remained unaltered. The arrangement to import liquor from Godhra Distillery continued, as during the past year. The year's working shows a net income of Rs. 1,19,153, or an increase of Rs. 11,685 over the previous year. The open auction system for liquor shops continued to be in force in the town of Cambay. The total consumption of liquor during the year 1919-20 was 18,953 gallons.

The open auction system continued to be in force in regard to the opium shops in Cambay town. Appendix XXI shows particulars about Excise shops and Excise revenue during the year. There are at present 27 opium shops in this State.

CHAPTER VI—MEDICAL SERVICES.

100. There are 6 medical institutions in the State viz. (1) The Kennedy Hospital, (2) The Bibi Bahu Begum

Saheb Free Dispensary, (3) The Diamond Jubilee Zenânâ Hospital, (4) The Târâpur and (5) Varasdâ Dispensaries and (6) The Veterinary Dispensary in Cambay. Relief at these institutions is being given absolutely free, no charge even for medicines being made. All these institutions are freely availed of by the people of Cambay town and villages.

101. The average daily attendance of patients in the Zenânâ Hospital was 122.3 as against 132 in the preceding year. The institution has fully maintained its popularity during the year.

102. The details of the medical relief afforded by these institutions except the Veterinary Dispensary are shown in Appendix XXIII.

103. The total number of patients treated in these institutions was 50,106 against 47,618 last year. The increase is due to a large number of patients having been treated for malaria.

104. The total number of surgical operations performed during the year was 436 against 464 last year; of these 31 were major and 405 minor.

105. The two vaccinators continued to work under the supervision of the Chief Medical Officer as usual. One of them worked in the town and the other in the villages. 1779 children against 1,973 last year were vaccinated.

Veterinary Dispensary.

106. 6,544 animals were treated against 6,492 in the previous year.

107. The total number of surgical operations performed upon animals was 314 against 493 in the previous year. Of these 91 were major and 223 minor.

108. All these six institutions were maintained at a total cost of Rs. 19,864 against Rs. 15,399 in the previous year.

Vital Statistics.

109. Appendix XXIV gives details of births and deaths in the State during the year ending 31st May 1921.

110. The total number of births, registered during the year was 2,166 against 2,029, giving a birth rate of 30.2 per mille against 27.93 in the previous year.

111. The total number of deaths, registered during the year, was 2,167 against 3,176 in the previous year, giving a death rate of 30.21 per mille against 43.71 last year. There is a very slight decrease in the number of births in the town; while there is a considerable increase in births in the rural areas. As regards deaths there is a considerable decrease in the number of deaths both in the town and the rural areas. The considerable falling off in the death rate is satisfactory.

CHAPTER VII—EDUCATION.

112. Appendix XXV shows the number and nature of the educational institutions, maintained by the State and the expenditure incurred on them. The figures of expenditure are for the year ending 31st October 1920.

113. The number of schools at the end of May 1921 was 53 against 45 in the previous year. The increase is due to the opening of 6 new schools at the villages of Isarwada, Khadodi, Châṅgdâ, Hariyan, Dhuwaran and Galiana and one Urdu Boys' School and one Gujrati Girls' School in Undel. The number of pupils, studying in these schools was 4,927 against 4,233 in the previous year. The increase is partly due to the opening of 8 new schools and partly to fresh admissions.

It will be interesting to compare the figures of 1918 with those of 1921. The expenditure increased from Rs. 30,198 to Rs. 56,674. The number of State schools has risen from 43 to 53, and the number of pupils from 3,521 to 4,927, showing an increase of nearly 40%. While this increase is gratifying as showing a very substantial improvement in the growth of education in the State, it is apt at times to prove disconcerting when the question of accommodation for the schools has to be faced. Schools for which accommodation was provided or improved within the last few years are again clamouring for larger accommodation owing to the increase of the numbers on the rolls. For the City Schools at least, tinkering will do no longer; but new buildings in some cases will have to be constructed of which the cost is likely to exceed one lakh of rupees. This question of accommodation is being considered in all its details at present.

114. Of the 8 students, sent up for the School Leaving Certificate Examination from the High School, 4 came out successful. The average daily attendance viz. 265.5 as against 250 shows a fair increase on the whole.

115. Besides these State Schools, there were 20 private schools, teaching elementary Gujarati. 621 children attended these schools. 14 schools taught the Koran, Arabic and Urdu with a little Gujarati in some, to 309 children. 12 Parsi children received instruction from their priest. One night school opened by the Cambay Education Society for teaching English continued to work during the year. 176 students attended this school.

116. The Veda Shâlâ and the Jain Girls' School continued to receive State aid. The number of pupils, attending these institutions was 18 and 138 respectively. There are six

vernacular schools for the depressed classes recognised by the State according to the Grant-in-aid Code, giving instruction to 139 children.

117. Primary education continued to be completely free throughout the State. It is also compulsory in selected areas.

118. There are seven vernacular teachers, undergoing further training at the P. R. Training College for Men, Ahmedabad, three in the 2nd year class and four in the 1st year class with a monthly stipend of Rs. 15/- each. No female teacher offered to go up for training at the Female Training College at Ahmedabad. One student studying for the Degree of M. B. B. S. continued to receive a scholarship of Rs. 15/- per mensem during the year.

119. Of the twelve and two candidates that appeared at the Elementary and Intermediate Grade Drawing Examinations respectively, 7 and 2 came out successful. Three students appeared at the London Chamber of Commerce examination in Book-keeping and Accountancy of whom two were declared successful.

120. The total expenditure on education in the State including scholarships and grants-in-aid was Rs. 56,674 against Rs. 43,904 last year. The fee receipts for the year were Rs. 4,713 against Rs. 4,615 last year. The increase in expenditure is partly due to the fact that 8 new schools have been opened during the year. The increase in fee receipts is due to new admissions to the Cambay High School and the Târâpur A. D. M. English School.

121. The annual examination of the High School was conducted as usual by the school staff. 61% of the boys passed as against 41% last year. The annual examination of the City Vernacular Schools, of the Târâpur Boys' School

and A. V. School and Undel Boys' School was conducted by the Shâlâdhikâri with the help of the Head Masters of those schools. The examination of the Village Schools was conducted as usual by the Deputy Educational Inspector Kaira and his staff. The percentage of passes was 63.5% against 53.5% last year.

The percentage of students in State Primary Schools to population is 6.4 against 5.2 last year. The percentage of students receiving instruction in all kinds of schools in the State to population is 8.7 against 7.1 last year.

The teaching staff in Primary Schools consists of 163 hands of whom 49 are trained teachers against 149 of the last year of whom 36 were trained. The staff has been strengthened by the addition of 13 trained hands. Lessons in English are being given in the Urdu Madressa.

As stated already, 7 male teachers in all are at present being trained at the P. R. Training College, receiving a stipend of Rs. 15 per mensem each. Scholarships of Rs. 5 per mensem each continued to be given in the upper standards in the High School on the results of the terminal and annual examinations during the year. One special scholarship of Rs. 5 per mensem was granted to a Mahomedan student in the Cambay High School and 4 scholarships of Rs. 2 each were given to poor Mahomedan students in the local primary schools. In addition, small scholarships varying from annas 4 to annas 8 are offered in all classes of the Urdu Schools and Girls' Schools.

From the Urdu Madressa 7 students were sent up for the Vernacular Final Examination in Urdu at Nadiad and all of them have come out successful. The result is creditable to the Munshi of the Madressa. From the City Main Boys'

School and the Târâpur and Undel Boys' Schools, 23 students went up for the Vernacular Final Examination in Gujarati of whom 13 were declared successful.

Primary Education was compulsory in 19 villages of the State during the year. In villages and in the City Urdu Schools education is also encouraged by giving class books free to those boys who pass the annual examination.

As indicated in the last report, all the primary schools of the State were placed under the control of one officer. He was a senior assistant teacher of the Cambay High School before he joined his new post of Shâlâdhikâri. This appointment was necessitated by the fact that the retired Assistant Deputy Educational Inspector who was last year selected eventually failed to join the post. The new Shâlâdhikâri has done well during the year and some improvement is noticeable in the village and city primary schools.

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122. The State records have been classified and arranged in proper order. Useless records are periodically destroyed.

The Darbar Press.

123. The Darbar Press was worked as usual and it cost the State Rs. 2,024 as against Rs. 3,336 last year. The decrease is due to the fact that no costly machine was purchased during the year. Mr. Jatashanker Ravishanker continued to work throughout the year as Press Manager and did good work. The Cambay Gazette issued under the authority of the Darbar was printed and published from this Press as hitherto. The printing of all forms required in the various

offices of the State, and of the Annual Administration Report, and other miscellaneous work are done at the Press.

Library.

124. The reading room of the Lord Reay Library continued to be kept up as a free institution for the public. The number of subscribers to the Library rose to 18 from 13 last year. The total cost of maintaining the Library was Rs. 671 of which Rs. 567 were contributed by the State and Rs. 104 were raised as subscriptions.

125. The Library continued to be supplied free of charge with some parts of the Bombay Government Gazette, Government printed reports on various subjects and Press Notes as in the previous years, and the concession is greatly appreciated.

Conclusion.

126. The almost complete failure of rain in the months of September and October 1920 shattered all hopes of a continuation of agricultural prosperity of which the season of 1919-20 seemed to have marked the beginning. Suspensions of land revenue were sanctioned on a large scale, the situation was carefully watched and Tagai was freely given at the end of the fair season. There was no difficulty about the required quantity of grain as there were sufficient stocks held over from the year preceding. Many of the rayats had been wiser after the heavy mortality among cattle in the year 1918-19 and had laid by some stock of fodder. But fodder generally was insufficient and dear. The State had bought considerable quantities of grass anticipating that the rayats would require it at the end of the season. When rain failed in June last and the situation

began to appear critical, all this grass was taken up in Tagai and there was demand for more. Another feature of the year was the attention so inconveniently bestowed on some of the State villages by the armed gangs of dacoits and outlaws who, while infesting the borders, had in the past left this State alone. This caused no little anxiety; but the foot and mounted Police of the State did all they could and the villages were freely supplied with arms to protect themselves with in such emergencies.

Inspite of the scarcity, there was no demand for State relief at any time during the year and there is no doubt that the staying power of the rayats has considerably increased in recent years. Wages continued to be high and many people were busy looking after their cattle. Ordinary Public Works Department works even failed to attract sufficient labourers. Railway transport difficulties were as acute as in the preceding year, and the materials required for the P. W. D. could never be procured in time or in sufficient quantities. The year was thus hardly propitious for any great advance. Some of the Public Works carried out have already been referred to. A new irrigation tank at Golânâ in a notoriously dry area has been started during the year. A small Inspection Bungalow is also under construction at Târâpur. The Jummâ Masjid building of archæological interest has now been rendered structurally safe with the completion of the restoration of a badly damaged portion. A portion of the Cambay–Rohini road, leading upto the Idgâh, has been metalled. The Vaduchi channel has been put into order as a preliminary to the harbour improvement scheme as recommended by the Superintending Engineer, Northern Division, after personal inspection, and it is to be hoped that the heavy rain with

which we are being favoured at present will secure the desired scour in the creek. Târâpur has now got a fine new building for its Anglo-Vernacular School. The pay of the establishments has been placed on a more satisfactory footing than before. Considerable progress was made in primary education during the year, eight new schools having been opened. It is satisfactory to note that there has been an increase of nearly 40% in the number of pupils attending State schools during the last three years. The question of providing better accommodation for the City Schools is under consideration.

The Record of Rights in land has now been fully introduced in this State. Fair copies of it have been made and mutation registeres are being maintained. Steps were taken during the year to remove the uncertainty as regards the tenure of lands in village sites. Until now the rayats were not sure of their title which is being confirmed on recovery of a small Nazrânâ.

Owing to defective rainfall, the cotton crop was almost a total failure and the value of the experiment made during the year of introducing pure Deshi cotton from Surat in selected villages was greatly discounted. What little of this cotton was gathered was however well appreciated on account of its longer staple and secured a better price. The experiment is being repeated this year and will, it is hoped, have a better chance of success.

City Survey operations were commenced during the year and are in progress in the town of Cambay. They are being conducted on the lines laid down in the City Survey Manual with the help and advice of the Superintendent, Land Records, N. D., and under his occasional supervision.

Every effort is being made to get a company to take up the work of supplying electric power to the town of Cambay. Considerable progress has been made towards the formation of a Limited Company and it is hoped that the necessary preliminary work will soon be undertaken.

The Assistant Administrator, Mr. M. O. Patel, who reverted to British Service on the 12th April last, gave satisfaction in the discharge of his duties. From that date the post was vacant upto the close of the year.

The financial position of the State continues satisfactory. The details of the invested capital, as it stands now, are as under:-

	Rs.
English War Loan £ 6,500.....(Face value)	97,500
Government of India Bonds-1930-6%.....Do...	2,75,000
.....Do.....3½%loan.....Do...	3,35,000
.....Do.....4%loan.....Do...	33,800
.....Do...Bonds 6% (1926 and 1931)..Do...	7,25,000
Shares in the Nawab of Cambay Mills.....Do.....	5,000
Deposit with the Nawab of Cambay Mills.....	2,25000
Treasury Bills.....	1,00,000
Fixed Deposit with the National Bank of India	25,000
Debentures of the Willingdon Sports Club.....	10,000
Total Rs.	18,31,300

The State recently invested a sum of Rs. 7,25,000 in the new 6% Bonds. The invested capital of the State has increased by 5 lakhs of rupees during the last three years.

The State contributed Rs. 5000 towards the Rajkumar

College Endowment Fund, Rs. 250 towards the Ahmednagar Relief Fund.

It was anticipated that as rain had practically disappeared in September 1920, the monsoon in 1921 would be an early one; but this anticipation was not realised and as days and weeks passed practically without any rain till the middle of July, the situation grew daily more and more critical. Fodder was the greatest difficulty and there was a great rush for it from all quarters and cattle were in very bad case. The State gave in Tagai all the grass it could and Tagai in cash was also freely given for fodder. Pessimists began to speculate as to what ever would happen if another bad year was to be in store for us. But most people were hopeful and the latter half of July has given us splendid rain–more than 12 Inches, which is very nearly our average for both June and July. The signs are now hopeful, sowings are in full swing and a feeling of general cheerfulness has replaced the deep gloom that prevailed on account of a threatened famine, till the middle of July. If all goes well, we should have at least a normal season in the current year.

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APPENDICES.

Appendix I.

NAMES OF HIGH OFFICIALS in the CAMBAY STATE, showing changes in personnel during the year 1920-21.

No.	Names of Officers.	Appointment.	Period.		Remarks.
			From.	To.	
1	2	3	4	5	6.
1	Mr. V. K. Namjoshi...	Administrator.	1-6-1920	31-5-1921	
2	„ Motibhai Ottambhai Patel, B. A.	Assistant Administrator.	1-6— 20	12-4— 21	Reverted to British Service.
3	„ Manibhai Gulabbhai Desai, B. A., LL. B.	Sar Nyayadhish.	1-6— 20	31-5— 21	
4	„ Jagannath Sagoon Rege ...	Superintendent of Police.	1-6— 20	31-5— 21	
5	„ Ziyauddin Mahomed Usman Maulvi, High Court Pleader 1910	First Class Magistrate.	1-6— 20	31-5— 21	
6	„ Chunilal Shyamji Trivedi, High Court Pleader 1909	Nyayadhish.	1-6— 20	31-5— 21	
7	„ Hiralal Ranchhoddas, L. M. & S..	Chief Medical Officer.	1-6— 20	31-5— 21	
8	„ Chandulal Ambalal Desai ...	Bibi Bahu Begam Saheb Free Dispensary Doctor.	1-6— 20	31-5— 21	
9	Miss Agnes David	Zenana Hospital Doctor.	1-6— 20	31-5— 21	
10	Mr. A. F. Quadros	Veterinary Assistant.	1-6— 20	31-5— 21	
11	„ Jahangir Rustomji Jussawalla, B. E. (Civil)	State Engineer.	1-6— 20	31-5— 21	
12	Mirza Fatehalikhan...	Daroga of Import Duty.	1-6— 20	31-5— 21	
13	R. S. Mohanlal Bapulal Raval ...	Treasury Officer.	1-6— 20	1-9— 20	Went on L. W. P. & then resigned.

14	*Mr. Maganlal Bhailal Desai...* ...	*Vahivatdar.*	*1-6— 20*	*31- 5—21*	
15	„ Purushottam Kalidas Nagarwadia	*District Agricultural Inspector.*	1-6— 20	31- 5—21	
16	„ Bhogilal Nagindas Shah, M. A., S. T. C. D.	Head Master, High School.	1-6— 20	31- 5—21	... ... Do. ... ...
17	„ Chunilal Dwarkadas Shah ...	Water Works Superintendent.	1-6— 20	11-12—20	
	„ Raojibhai Mathurbhai Amin ...	Do.	1-3— 21	31- 5—21	

NOTE–Names of officials, drawing Rs. 100 and over p. m., are entered in this appendix.

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Appendix II.

LIST of LAWS in force in the CAMBAY STATE.

Description.	Whether adapted from British Act.	Introduced during year under report.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4
Indian Penal Code	Yes.	Introduced in previous years.	
Indian Criminal Procedure Code ...	,,		
Indian Evidence Act	,,		
The Indian Civil Procedure Code.	,,		
Abkari Act	,,		
Salt Act	,,		
Opium Act	,,		
District Police Act	,,		
Gambling Act	,,		
Mamalatdar Courts Act	,,		
Tariff Act	,,		
Post Office Act	,,		
Limitation Act	,,		
Registration Act	,,		
Stamp Act.	,,		
Indian Companies Act (VII of 1913) ...	,,		
The Explosives Act of 1908.	,,		
Cambay Municipal Act	,,		
An Act for the Protection of Wild Birds and Animals	,,		
Factory Act	,,		
Insolvency Act	,,		
Rules under the Deccan Agriculturists Relief Act	,,		
Lunatic Asylums Act (XXXVI of 1858)	,,		
The Official Secrets Act	,,		
The Bombay Public Conveyances Act (VI of 1863)	,,		
The Bombay Municipal Servants Act (V of 1890)	,,		
The Indian Soldiers(Litigation) Act (IX of 1918)	,,		
The Indian Treasure Trove Act (VI of 1878)	,,		
The Bombay Boiler Inspection Act 1891	,,		
The Suits Valuation Act(VIIof 1887)...	,,		
The Indian Court Fees Act (VII of 1870)	,,		
The Indian Arms Act (XI of 1878)...	,,		
The Indian Motor Vehicles Act (VIII of 1914)	,,	Yes.	

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Appendix III.

STATEMENT showing the STRENGTH, COST and other particulars of the MILITARY FORCE in the CAMBAY STATE, 1920-21.

Arm of Service.	Number of Fighting Officers and Men.						Details of Force at the end of the current year.						Total cost on account of pay and allowances of the force, including followers.	Remarks.
	At the end of the last year.	Recruited this year.	Casualties			At the end of the current year.	Number of Regiments, Battalians or Batteries.	Number of guns.	Number of Men.					
			Died.	Invalided.	Discharged, deserted &c.				European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Cavalry ...	10	1	1	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	1	9	Rs. 18,850	
Artillery ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	9	...	...	...	1		
Infantry ...	144	46	3	...	34	153	...	...	...	...	...	153		
Total ...	155	47	4	...	34	164	...	9	...	...	1	163		

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Appendix IV.

STATEMENT showing the STRENGTH, COST, DISCIPLINE and EDUCATION of the POLICE for the year 1920-21.

Description of Officers.	Number.	Pay of the Grade.	Total cost.	Punishments.			Rewards.		Education		Remarks.
				Dismissed.	Fined, degraded or suspended departmentally.	Punished judicially.	By promotion.	By money.	Number able to read and write.	Number under instruction.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Rs.									† The Police Sowars get Rs. 20 P. M. as horse allowance besides their pay from Rs. 17 to 22. They also enjoy a concession to buy grass at Rs. 5 per 1000 lbs. On account of the dearness of provisions they are given a local allowance of Rs. 5 each. The members of the armed and unarmed police force get this allowance at therate of Rs.5 to7. * Though there are 62 armed police men, there are only 35 serviceable guns.
Police Superintendent ...	1	250-25-350	Rs. 59590	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Chief Constables	2	50-5-75		...	...	...	...	1	2	...	
Naib Fouzdars	2	35 to 40		...	...	...	...	1	2	...	
Minor Police Officers (foot)	26	17 to 25		...	1	...	...	3	20	...	
Police Constables	109	13 to 15		...	42	...	...	5	40	...	
Chief Mounted Police Officer	1	45		...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Police Sowars	18	17 to 22†		...	5	...	...	...	16	...	
Armed Police Officer ...	1	35		...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Minor Armed Police Officers	6	17 to 25		...	...	...	...	2	6	...	
Armed Police Constables ...	55 *	13 to 15		...	25	...	...	3	28	...	

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Appendix V.

STATEMENT showing the working of the POLICE in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1920-21.

State.	Number of offences.		Number of accused arrested.		Number of accused sent for trial.		Number of accused convicted.		Number of accused acquitted or discharged.		Percentage of convictions (Cols. 3 & 5).		Percentage convicted of accused sent for trial.		Remarks.
	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b	9
Cambay	121	106	119	96	104	89	77	72	22	14	64.7	75	74.04	80.9	

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Appendix VI.

STATEMENT showing the VALUE of PROPERTY STOLEN and AMOUNT of RECOVERIES in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1920-21.

State.	Amount stolen.		Amount recovered.		Percentage of recoveries of property stolen.		Remarks.
	Past year.	Present year	Past year.	Present year	Past year.	Present year	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Cambay	3,920	9,910	2,221	6,150	56.66	62.06	

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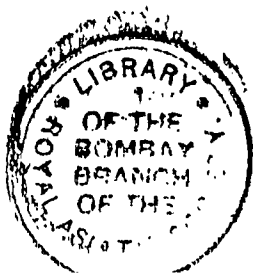
APPENDIX VII.



Appendix

STATEMENT showing the number of CRIMES COMMIT-AWAITING TRIAL in the CAMBAY

Number.	Description of offences.	Number of offences: Balance from past year.	Committed during the present year.	Total.	Number of cases disposed of during past year.	Number of cases disposed of during present year.	Number of persons apprehended.	Number of persons convicted.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	A. *Under Indian Penal Code.*							
1	Offences of Abetment	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
2	Offences against Public Tranquillity ...	...	12	12	17	12	75	62
3	Offences by or relating to Public Servants	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
4	Contempts of lawful authority of Public Servants	...	2	2	55	2	2	2
5	False Evidence and offences against Public Justice	...	1	1	2	1	1	I
6	Offences relating to Weights & Measures	...	1	1	...	1	1	I
7	Offences affecting the Public Health, Safety, Convenience, Decency or Morals	...	4	4	1	4	4	3
8	Offences affecting the Human Body :—							
	(*a*) Affecting life	...	4	4	2	4	5	3
	(*b*) Of Hurt	1	168	169	75	168	457	38
	(*c*) Of Wrongful Restraint	...	1	1	2	1	6	I
	(*d*) Of Criminal Force and Assault ...	1	34	35	17	35	98	2
	(*e*) Of Kidnapping and abduction ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(*f*) Of Rape	...	1	1	...	1	1	1
	(*g*) Of Abortion	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(*h*) Of Unnatural Intercourse... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Offences against Property:—							
	(*a*) Of Theft	...	30	30	28	29	40	33
	(*b*) Of Extortion	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	(*c*) Of Robbery and Dacoity	...	3	3	1	2	12	6
	(*d*) Of Criminal Misappropriation of Property	...	1	1	1	1	1	1
	(*e*) Of Criminal Breach of Trust ...	1	2	3	5	2	4	...
	(*f*) Of the Receiving of Stolen property	1	2	3	2	3	3	2
	(*g*) Of Cheating	1	3	4	9	3	4	1
	(*h*) Of Mischief	...	33	33	14	32	65	1
	(*i*) Of Criminal Trespass	...	11	11	15	10	21	7
10	Offences relating to Documents and to Trade or Property marks	2	...	2	...	...	2	...
11	Offences relating to Marriage	...	23	23	20	22	34	...
12	Defamation	...	7	7	3	7	27	...
13	Criminal Intimidation, Insult and Annoyance	...	44	44	104	43	107	14
	Total ...	7	387	394	376	383	970	179

VII.

TED, number of CASES DISPOSED OF and CASES STATE, during the year 1920–21.

Number of persons sentenced.										Terms of Imprisonment.											Remarks.
Imprisonment.		Imprisonment and fine.		Fine only.	Whipping.	Total.	Number of persons acquitted or discharged.	Number of persons confined being insane.	Number of persons died during or before trial.	Under 1 month.	From 1 to 2 months.	From 2 to 3 months.	From 3 to 6 months.	From 6 to 12 months.	From 1 to 2 years.	From 2 to 3 years.	From 3 to 5 years.	Above 5 years.	Life imprisonment.	Capital punishment.	Awaiting trial.	
Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.																		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
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1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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...	1	...	1	...	...	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
...	1	...	...	...	...	1	63	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
...	6	...	...	1	...	7	11	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	1	13	...	14	92	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
2	60	1	7	105	4	179	778	...	...	18	5	14	9	11	9	...	1	3	...	...	13	

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Total ...	7	387	394	376	383	970	179
	B. *Offences against other laws.*							
14	Abkari Act	...	1	1	1	1	1	1
15	Cattle Trespass Act	...	1	1	2	1	1	...
16	Gambling Act	...	4	4	...	4	22	20
17	District Police Act	...	425	425	223	425	425	404
18	Arms Act	...	....	...	...	...	...	...
19	Prisons Act	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Customs Act	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Factory Act	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22	Municipal Act	...	62	62	53	61	62	61
23	Opium Act	...	1	1	3	1	1	1
24	Disobedience to orders duly promulgated by the Administrator	...	6	6	12	6	6	6
	Total ...	...	500	500	294	499	518	493
	Grand Total ...	7	887	894	670	882	1488	672

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10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
2	60	1	7	105	4	179	778	...	...	18	5	14	9	11	9	...	1	3	...	...	13	
...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	1	19	...	20	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	404	...	404	18	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	61	...	61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	6	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	1	492	...	493	20	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
2	60	1	8	597	4	672	798	...	4	19	5	14	9	11	9	...	1	3	...	...	14	

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Appendix VIII.

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER of OFFENCES reported and dealt with by the various Courts in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1920-21.

Name of Court.	Number of offences reported during the year.		Number of persons dealt with.								Persons disposed of.						Persons remaining at the end of the year.	Remarks.
			Remaining at the end of last year.	Brought to trial in 1920.					Total.									
	Past year.	Present year.		Arrested by Police.	Upon warrant.	On Summons.	Voluntarily.	Arrested in resence of the pmagistrate.	Past year.	Present year.	Discharged.	Acquitted and compounded.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped or transferred.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	
Magistrate 1st Class.	670	886	11	99	12	1364	...	...	1091	1486	112	679	660	18*	4	13	* As the 18 accused in the F. C. Magistrate Court whose cases have been disposed of by the Sessions Court, are included in cols. 13 & 14, the total of col. 15 is left blank.	
Do. Nyayadhish	1	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	1		
Assistant Administrator and Subdivisional First Class Magistrate.	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Sessions Court ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6*	12*	...	...	...		
Total ...	672	887	12	99	12	1365	...	...	1095	1488	112	686	672	...	4	14		

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Appendix IX.

STATEMENT showing the RESULTS of APPEALS against decisions passed by the CRIMINAL COURTS in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1920-21.

Tribunal.	Number of applications.	Applications rejected.		Sentenced.						Proceedings quashed.		Referred.		Further inquiry &c. ordered.		Pending.		Remarks.
				Confirmed		Modified.		Reversed.										
		Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Hazoor Court... ...	11	10	4	6	5	...	...	6	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Sessions Court ...	20	...	...	13	10	3	3	10	5	6	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	31	10	4	19	15	3	3	16	7	6	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	

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Appendix

CIVIL WORK–Nature and value of ORIGINAL

Number.	Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during the year received by transfer or on demand.		Total.		Disposed of during the year.		Closing balance.	
		Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	Nyayadhish Court	45	45	311	356	356	401	311	362	45	39
2	Sar Nyayadhish (Small Causes Court)... ...	6	9	624	637	630	642	621	660	9	22
3	„ above Rs. 5000	1	2	4	...	5	2	3		2	1
4	Sardars' Court ...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...
	Total ...	52	56	939	1030	991	1086	935	1024	56	62

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X.

SUITS filed and disposed of during the year 1920–21.

SUITS FILED DURING THE PRESENT YEAR.										SUITS DISPOSED OF DURING THE PRESENT YEAR.						REMARKS.
Value.	Suits re-landed property.	Suits for money transactions.	Suits for other rights.	No. of suits under Rs. 50.	No. of suits above Rs. 50 and under Rs. 100.	No. of suits above Rs. 100 and under Rs. 500.	No. of suits above Rs. 500 and under Rs. 1,000.	No. of suits above Rs. 1,000 and under Rs. 5,000.	Above Rs. 5,000.	Exparte.	Admitted and Compromised.	Struck off the file.	Otherwise disposed of.	Value.	Average duration.	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Rs. 63717	90	201	65	64	46	171	27	12	Unvalue-able. 36	57	151	1	153	Rs. 60615	75.9	
18155	8	654	11	542	131	...	...	...	...	230	350	34	46	17733	40.5	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	6130	327	
124	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	124	192	
81996	98	856	76	606	177	172	27	12	36	288	502	35	199	84602	158.85	

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Appendix XI.

CIVIL WORK—RESULTS of APPLICATIONS for execution of decrees.

Number.	Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Value of opening balance for present year.	Applications brought to the register.			Total.			Disposed of.			Closing balance.			Nature of applications pending disposal at the close of the year 1920-21.			Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Under 6 months.	Under 12 months	Above 12 months	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
				Rs.			Rs.			Rs.			Rs.			Rs.				
1	Nyayadhish Court.	88	74	59619	339	269	78,422	427	343	138041	353	275	69428	74	68	68618	43	16	9	
2	Sar Nyayadhish Court	38	24	1072	304	280	31130	342	304	32202	318	280	8729	24	24	23478	17	7	...	
	Total ...	126	98	60691	643	549	109552	769	647	170243	671	555	78152	98	92	92091	60	23	9	

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Appendix XII.

CIVIL WORK—Value and Results of Appeals in CIVIL SUITS.

Tribunal.	Opening balance		Filed during		Total		Disposed of during		Closing balance		Value of appeals filed during		How Disposed of.								Average duration.		Remarks.
													Decisions confirmed.		Decisions reversed.		Decisions amended.		Cases remanded for re-trial.		Cases compromised and otherwise disposed of.			
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
											Rs.	Rs.													
Sar Nyayadhish Court First appeals.	...	2	30	52	30	54	28	48	2	6	6296	12485	16	28	7	10	4	8	...	...	1	2	87.8	68.2	
Hazur Court Second appeals.	2	2	10	13	12	15	10	9	2	6	1635	1287	3	6	1	2	...	...	...	...	6	1	50.5	42.4	
Hazur Court First appeals.	...	...	5	2	5	2	5	2	...	...	235	145	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	37	53.5	
Total...	2	4	45	67	47	71	43	59	4	12	8166	13917	19	35	8	12	4	8	...	...	12	4	41.76	54.7	

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Appendix XIII.

STATEMENT showing the number of persons confined in the JAILS and LOCK-UPS in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1920—21.

Station.	Number of prisons.	Number of prisoners.				Daily average in Jail.		Number of prisoners remaining at the end of the year.	Total cost of Jail and prisoners.	Daily average of under trial prisoners.	Remarks showing mortality among convicts in Jail.
		Remaining from last year.	Admitted during the year.	Total.							
				Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Cambay.....	1	45	78	137	123	45.7	42.5	33.	Rs. 7530	6	

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Appendix XIV.

REGISTRATION of DOCUMENTS in the CAMBAY STATE.

Name of State.	Nature of documents presented.												Documents registered.		Value of documents registered.		Document of which registry has been refused.		Documents remaining unregistered pending enquiry at the close of the year.		Remarks.
	Documents presented for registration.		Mortgages.		Sale deeds.		Wills.		Money bonds.		Miscellaneous.										
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Cambay ...	1096	1241	458	541	548	591	41	44	...	...	49	65	1096	1241	Rs. 5,45,760	Rs. 7,15,650	1	...	...	...	

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Appendix XV.

STATEMENT showing the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE on account of REGISTRATION during the year 1920-21.

Description.	Past year.			Present year.			Remarks.
	Number of deeds.	Value of property.	Fees realized.	Number of deeds.	Value of property.	Fees realized.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	
Mortgages	458	134738	2128	541	169509	2678	
Sale deeds	548	259120	7727	591	307998	9198	
Wills	41	102600	365	44	186356	420	
Miscellaneous	49	49302	1481	65	51787	1352	
Total ...	1096	545760	11701	1241	715650	13648	
Deduct Expenditure ...	...	...	734	...	...	972	
Net Income...	...	...	10967	...	...	12676	

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Appendix XVI.

RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CAMBAY MUNICIPALITY during the year ending, 31st October 1920.

Name.	Opening balance.	Receipts.		Total in current year.	Expenditure.		Closing balance.	Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Cambay Municipality ...	19,158	44,754	52,970	72,128	37,688	43,905	28,223	
Nawab Jafferalli Khan Waterworks	3,745	41,028	42,972	46,717	44,494	37,960	8,757	
Total ...	22,903	85,782	95,942	1,18,845	82,182	81,865	36,980	

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Appendix XVII.

STATEMENT of RAINFALL in the CAMBAY STATE.

STATE.	June 1920.		July 1920.		August 1920.		September 1920.		October 1920.		November 1920.		December 1920.		January 1921.		February 1921.		March 1921.		April 1921.		May 1921.		Total.		Total of previous year.		Average of past 5 years.		Remarks.
	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	Inches.	Cents.	
1	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		9		10		11		12		13		14		15		16		17
Cambay	...	5-36	8-40		3-1		0-57		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		12-34		25-41		24-9		

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Appendix XVIII.

STATEMENT of prices of FOOD—GRAINS.

State.	Articles.	During May 1920 (past year.) per maund of 40 lbs.	During May 1921 (present year.) per maund of 40 lbs.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
		Rs. a.	Rs. a.	
Cambay	Bajri	2 14	3 8	
	Kodra	1 8	1 12	
	Wheat-red...	3 4	3 6	
	Do. white	4 8	4 8	
	Rice	4 0 to 8 0	3 11 to 7 0	
	Dal Tuver...	5 4 to 6 8	4 4 to 6 14	
	Muth	4 0	4 0	
	Gram	3 4 to 3 12	3 4 to 3 14	

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Appendix XIX.

AGRICULTURAL STOCK in the CAMBAY STATE, during the year 1920—21.

District.	Year.	Cattle.					Horses.				Asses.	Sheep and Goats.	Ploughs.		Carts.		Remarks.
		Bullocks.	Cows.	He-buffaloes.	She-buffaloes.	Total.	Horses.	Mares.	Colts and Fillies.	Total.			With two Bullocks.	With four Bullocks.	Riding.	Load carrying.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Cambay City ...	1920–21	757	217	152	675	1801	121	7	1	129	341	531	147	9	294	167	
„ Villages...	„	12073	6421	1113	14380	33987	77	191	33	301	270	5443	4373	...	164	2443	
	Total...	12830	6638	1265	15055	35788	198	198	34	430	611	5974	4520	9	458	2610	
	1919—20	12456	6682	773	14068	33979	221	173	48	442	892	5904	4650		3138		

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Appendix XX.

EXPENDITURE on PUBLIC WORKS, during the year ending 31st October 1920.

State.	Description of works.	State funds.			Local funds.			Grand Total.
		Original.	Repairs.	Total.	Original.	Repairs.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Cambay	Buildings	33436	15878	49314	9658	720	10373	59687
	Wells, Tanks, and Water works ...	6521	963	7484	1211	1308	2519	10003
	Roads	...	984	984	7469	976	8445	9429
	Reclamation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gardens	...	13325	13325	...	...	...	13325
	Establishment	12305	...	12305	3035	...	3035	15340
	Miscellaneous	...	2922	2922	...	229	229	3151
	Bunder Decca & creek improvement	...	4067	4067	...	...	...	4067
	Total ...	52262	38139	90401	21368	3233	24601	115002

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Appendix XXI.

STATEMENT showing the EXCISE SHOPS and EXCISE REVENUE of the CAMBAY STATE, during the year ending 31st October 1920.

Name of State.	Country Spirit.		Opium.		Gânja.		Toddy.		Total.		Remarks.
	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.	
Cambay	12	119153	27	5119 6	4	3093	2	2645	45	176087	

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APPENDIX XXII.

Appendix

No. I—RECEIPTS.

No.	Items.	Samvat year 1975 ended 31st October 1919.	Samvat year 1976 ended 31st October 1920.	Increase.	Decrease.
I	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Land Revenue...	123148	547217	424069	...
2	Law and Justice	18470	26096	7626	...
3	Stamps	12083	13678	1595	...
4	Registration	12999	13652	653	...
5	Customs and Port dues	5762	4764	...	998
6	Salt Compensation & Nazarana...	40325	40285	...	40
7	Abkari including Bhang, Ganja and Poisonous substances ...	114621	125038	10417	...
8	Opium	43304	51196	7892	...
9	Octroi, cotton and import duties...	61121	72768	11647	...
10	Education and Library... ...	4927	4822	...	105
11	Jail	1243	2202	959	...
12	Interest	75996	88556	12560	...
13	Cambay Railway	39779	34487	...	5292
14	Police and Levies	592	730	138	...
15	Medical	31	21	...	10
16	Printing Press	371	380	9	...
17	P. W. Department	13924	8926	...	4998
18	Miscellaneous	24774	15279	...	9495
	Total Receipts ...	593470	1050097	477565	20938
	Deposits and Advances... ...	242638	551674	309036	...
	Excluded Funds	116664	160401	43737	...
	Total ...	952772	1762172	830338	20938
	Cash Opening Balance ...	425475	242671	...	182804
	Grand Total ...	1378247	2004843	830338	203742
	Investments including Fixed Deposits, Treasury bills etc:—				
	Opening Balance ...	1292862	1348050	55188	...
	Further investments ...	152938	707500	554562	...
	Total ...	1445800	2055550	609750	...

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No. II—EXPENDITURE.

No.	Items.	Samvat year 1975 ended 31st October 1919.	Samvat year 1976 ended 31st October 1920.	Increase.	Decrease.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Darbar expenses...	136418	182351	45933	...
2	Pensions...	10310	9341	...	969
3	Parvarshis	7572	7810	238	...
4	Charities & Religious Grants...	9417	8634	...	783
5	Hakdars' allowances	4054	3761	...	293
6	Police	52726	59590	6864	...
7	Levies	18181	18850	669	...
8	Public Works Department ...	80132	90401	10269	...
9	Grant-in-aid	40000	53000	13000	...
10	General Administration... ...	32142	33763	1621	...
11	Abkari	17841	19303	1462	...
12	Opium	10293	9647	...	646
13	Registration	734	972	238	...
14	Octroi Duty Establishment ...	4098	6495	2397	...
15	Customs and Port charges. ...	3088	2898	...	190
16	Law and Justice	14479	15609	1130	...
17	Jail	7255	7530	275	...
18	Medical Charges	15399	19864	4465	...
19	Education and Library	32276	39902	7626	...
20	Printing and Stationery	4573	3929	...	644
21	Tribute paid to the British Government	21924	21924	...	...
22	Interest on Debts	6325	6189	...	136.
23	Land Revenue	72539	58381	...	14158
24	Cambay State Railway	—5143	261	5404	...
25	Miscellaneous	1755	2322	567	...
26	Extraordinary Expenses. ...	7638	806	...	6832
26A	Famine Relief	23872	...	...	23872
	Total Expenditure ...	629898	683523	102158	48523
	Deposits and Advances ...	378454	936250	557796	...
	Excluded Funds	127224	130757	3533	...
	Total payments ...	1135576	1750540	663487	48523
	Cash Closing Balance ...	242671	254303	11632	...
	Grand Total ...	1378247	2004843	675119	48523
	INVESTMENTS INCLUDING FIXED DEPOSITS, TREASURY BILLS ETC:—				
	Investments Realized ...	97750	296750	199000	...
	Closing Balance ...	1348050	1758800	410750	...
	Total ...	1445800	2055550	609750	...

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Appendix XXIII.

STATEMENT of MEDICAL RELIEF afforded in the CAMBAY STATE during the year 1920-21.

Dispensary.	Number of patients treated.		Results of Indoor-patients.				Expenditure	Daily average.	Remarks.
	Out-door	In-door.	Discharged.	Absented	Died.	Remaining under treatment.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
							Rs.		
Kennedy Hospital	15001	138	121	15	1	1	7736	165.5	
Bibi Bahu Begam Saheb Free Dispensary ...	15272	...	...	...	...	...	4198	156.8	
Zenana Hospital	9800	...	...	...	...	...	4664	122.3	
Tarapur Dispensary ...	4996	...	...	...	...	...	1528	81.3	
Varasada Do.	4899	...	...	...	...	...	1027	57.5	
Total ...	49968	138	121	15	1	1	19153	583.4	

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Appendix XXIV.

VITAL STATISTICS of the CAMBAY STATE for the year 1920-21.

Name.	Population.	Births.				Deaths.				Ratio per 1000 of population.				Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.	Past year.	Present year.	Increase.	Decrease.	Births. Past year.	Births. Present year.	Deaths. Past year.	Deaths. Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Cambay City... ...	27260	742	740	...	2	1197	972	...	225	26.37	27.14	42.55	35.65	
Do. Villages ...	44455	1287	1426	139	...	1979	1195	....	784	28.90	32.07	44.45	26.88	
Total ...	71715	2029	2166	139	2	3176	2167	...	1009	27.93	30.2	43.71	30.21	

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Appendix XXV.

PARTICULARS as to the SCHOOLS MAINTAINED by the CAMBAY STATE, for the year 1920-21.

Number of Schools.		Description of Schools.	Number of pupils on Roll on 31st May.		Daily average attendance.		Expenditure.			Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year	Past year.	Present year.	High School.	Secondary	Primary.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
							Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	1	Cambay High School...	306	322	250	265.5	11581	...	...	
1	1	Tarapur A. D. M. English School ...	22	27	27.2	21.9	...	1697	...	
30	36	Vernacular Schools in the City and villages..	2819	3267	2005.6	2445.7	...	...	27837	
3	4	Urdu (Madressa) ...	191	245	118.7	178.7	...	...	3105	
1	1	Sanskrit Shala ...	80	23	23.1	17.7	...	...	365	
1	1	School for the Depressed Classes	50	62	21.1	28.1	...	...	535	
37	44	Total ...	3418	3986	2445.7	2957.6	11581	697	31842	
8	9	Girls' Schools... ...	815	941	561.9	651.4	...	...	9885	
45	53	Grand Total ...	4233	4927	3007.6	3609	11581	1697	41727	

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BUDGET ESTIMATE of the CAMBAY STATE,

for the year ending 31st October 1921.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
Items.	Amount.	Items.	Amount.
1	2	3	4
1 Land Revenue... ...	362800	1 Darbar Expenses:—	
2 Law and Justice ...	17595	*A.* For H. H. the Nawab and H. H. Sikendar Jahan Begam Saheb...	40892
3 Stamps	12000	*B.* Allowances paid to the Nawab's relatives and dependents	81924
4 Registration	13000	*C.* Provision Department.	70227
5 Customs and Port dues ...	5125	*D.* Miscellaneous ...	24000
6 Salt Compensation and Nazarana...	40290	2 Pensions	11200
7 Abkari including Bhang, Ganja and Poisonous substances	109925	3 Parvarshis	8610
8 Opium	45000	4 Charities or Religious grants...	10250
9 Octroi, cotton and import duties	81530	5 Hakdars' allowances ...	4400
10 Education and Library	4965	6 Police	75272
11 Jail	2270	7 Levies	24190
12 Interest	110379	8 P. W. Department ...	133915
13 Cambay Railway ...	35000	9 Grant-in-aid	40000
14 Police and Levies ...	300	10 General Administration.	37813
15 Medical	25	11 Abkari	21746
16 Printing Press	125	12 Opium	12025
17 P. W. Department ...	6850	13 Registration	1128
18 Miscellaneous	7705	14 Octroi Duty Establishment	7502
		15 Customs & Port charges.	3382
		16 Law and Justice ...	18593
		17 Jail	7262
		18 Medical charges ...	25178
		19 Education and Library...	58207
		20 Printing & Stationery...	6040
		21 Tribute paid to the British Government ...	21924
		22 Interest on Debts ...	6000
		23 Land Revenue	83464
		24 Cambay Railway ...	5000
		25 Miscellaneous	2855
		26 Extraordinary Expenses.	20000
Total Receipts...	854884	Total Expenditure ...	862999
Deposits and Advances ...	391860	Deposits and Advances...	426500
Excluded Funds ...	122525	Excluded Funds...	195041
Total ...	1369269	Total ...	1484540
Cash Opening Balance ...	208563	Cash Closing Balance...	93292
Grand Total ...	1577832	Grand Total ...	1577832
INVESTMENTS INCLUDING FIXED DEPOSITS, TREASURY BILLS ETC:-			
Opening Balance ...	1758800	Investments Realized...	332500
Further Investments ...	332500	Closing Balance ...	1758800
Total...	2091300	Total	2091300

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